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History is just a subject you study in school, something you endure because it is a required five hours credit. Just a bunch of dates and people that you memorize for a test and then forget. A class you force yourself to attend because the professor has an unbreakable cut limit. History is more than just that—it is an indicator of who we are, where we come from, and where we are going. History is an undeniable part of each of us. We are made of the history of our nation, our people, our family. It is something that we can never escape. Something that intelligent men and women do not want to escape, for it holds the clue to our future and without that clue we will just blunder along in life without purpose or plan. Our national history holds high the tradition of freedom and the promise of equality—it is up to each of us to carry on that tradition and to fight for that promise. For unless we do, the work of all of those who have gone before us will be in vain and without purpose. Our individual history shapes both soul and body from the day we are conceived. Our parents and the others who direct our development instill in us attitudes and opinions that will follow us to our graves. It is by their example that we become what we are, whether we follow in their footsteps or turn away and go the other direction. History will lead us in whatever direction we choose and without its help we will wander aimlessly as children lost in the night.





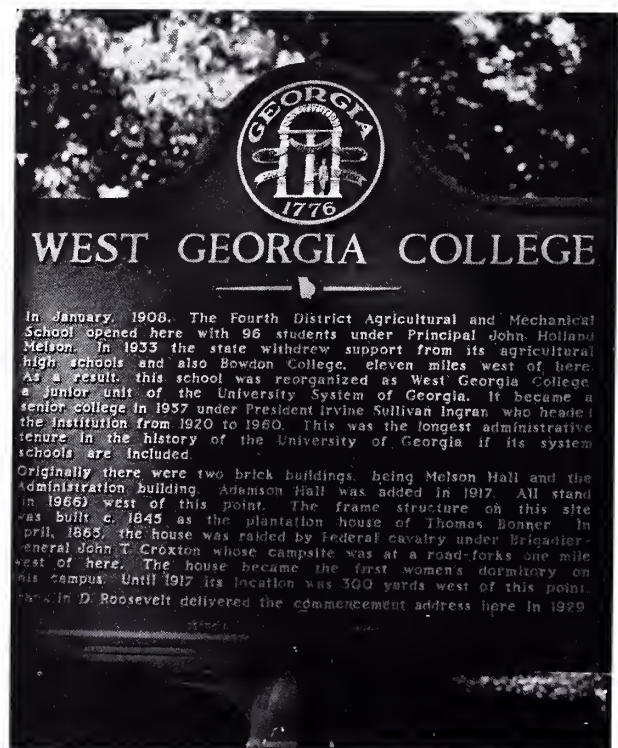
"Lot no. 99, Land District no. 10," were the numbers drawn by Lawrence Richardson of Columbia County in the land lottery of 1825. Later this land was purchased by Thomas Bonner of Clarke County. He immediately engaged Mr. Y. Hendrix to construct a permanent dwelling on the

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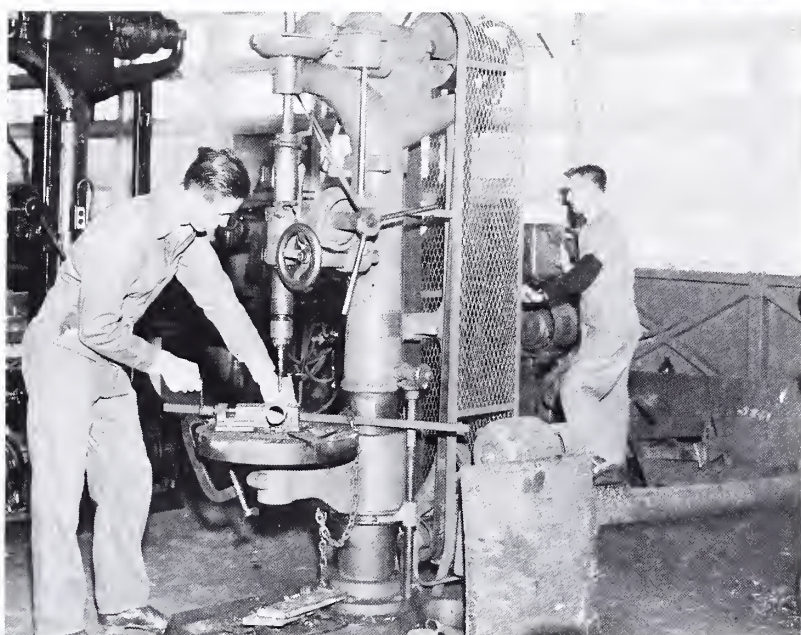
In 1861, during the Civil War, several thousand cavalry under General Stone, marched over the road that now fronts the campus. The Bonner family held the land until after the Civil War. The land then became the property of the Sharp family and in 1906 was deeded to the Board of

Trustees of the Fourth District Agricultural and Mechanical School.

The School, opened, as a boarding school, in 1908. Professor J. H. Melson became the first principal and served for the first thirteen years of the school's life. In 1920, I. S. Ingram became principal and headed the







school for the remainder of its life as an Agricultural and Mechanical High School. Then, by an act of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia, the old Fourth District A & M School became West Georgia College, and Dr. Ingram became this institution's first president.

When West Georgia College first opened in the fall of 1933, there were approximately 200 students and four buildings, including the Bonner House which remained from plantation days. According to Miss Annie Bell Weaver, the school's first librarian, the three other





buildings were the Administration Building, Adamson Hall, and Melson Hall. The first library consisted of 500 books and was housed in a classroom of the Administration Building. In 1937, Sanford Library was built on the lower end of the front campus drive.

Mr. J. C. Bonner and Mr. D. M. Braswell established athletics as a part of the West Georgia curriculum. Girls and

boys, separately, of course, participated in such sports as tennis, basketball, baseball, softball, archery, and field hockey. In 1946, a football team was established under Coach Earl Whely. In 1947, the team won the first "Tobacco Bowl" by beating Norman Park in Tifton. The football team was finally dissolved because of the lack of financial assistance for team expenses.

In 1939, the college was authorized to add a third year program in order to prepare student's for teaching positions in rural schools.

The first decade of real progress came in the years 1935 through 1945. By 1935, the faculty had grown to fifteen members. In 1936, Mandeville Hall was constructed. The establishment of Sanford Library came in 1937. In 1939,



the auditorium-gymnasium-dining hall was completed. In 1940, a reading room was added to the library. By 1954, the first Science Building on the campus had been completed. This building also housed the first student lounge.

In 1957, West Georgia College became a four-year senior college unit of the University System of Georgia. A Bachelor of Science degree was offered in Elementary Education. Two years later, West Georgia added a Bachelor of Arts degree in English, History, and Mathematics.

By 1960, West Georgia had facilities for one thousand students. From 1959 to 1971 West Georgia College was known as one the fastest growing institutions in the South.

At that time, West Georgia offered six undergraduate degrees: Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Bachelor of Music, Bachelor of Science in Education, and Bachelor of









Science in Medical Technology, with majors in over forty fields. In 1967, the Board of Regents authorized the initiation of a graduate program at the masters level. After this authorization, West Georgia added four graduate degrees: Master of Arts,

Master of Business Administration, Master of Education and Master of Science, covering fifteen areas of study. In 1971, the Specialist in Education degree was added.

By the end of 1972, West Georgia College's physical



facilities had increased in value to more than twenty-four million dollars including over forty structures and over 300 acres of wooded campus.

West Georgia College has come a long way in the past forty-five years. It has grown from three small buildings dedicated to education to numerous modern buildings still dedicated to "(p) rogressive development of individuals to take their places in and improve society."











to those who have come before . . .





to those who will come after . . .



# Maurice K. Townsend, President



"Ol' Townsend is really doing things right over there," commented a member of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia about Dr. Maurice K. Townsend, who is in his third year as president of West Georgia College.

"Doing things right," in the Townsend philosophy of education, includes "sound academic programs that have general as well as practical educational value for students and a viable student activities program that contributes to the quality of campus life."

The inky blue Mercedes is parked in the president's slot for long work days and smoke curls upward from the ever-present pipe, as Dr. Townsend makes those intermediate decisions designed to culminate in the superiority of WGC among learning institutions.

With typical northern reserve, interpreted by some as aloofness, Dr. Townsend offers few insights into the individual behind the office. To those close to him, he is known to be tough and cool under fire, but understanding when best efforts have produced less than the desired results.

Freshly cut roses, zinnias, or camellias which he brings many mornings to Sanford Hall give their colorful evidence of Dr. Townsend's appreciation for the gardens



so carefully tended by college groundskeepers.

"The house that IS the block," as the president's residence is known, is home to the closely-knit Townsend family of six. Their daily schedules could easily resemble the arrivals and departures at Hartsfield International Airport, with Mrs. Townsend serving as air traffic controller.

Since 18 year old Leslie is away at college, Leah, 16, is serving as pilot for herself and the boys, Steven, 14, and Bradley, 12. After-school activities may include drama lessons, midget football practice, and swimming meets.

Mrs. Townsend, in addition to formal hostessing duties for the president, is in demand by local organizations for demonstrations of her skill in drying and arranging flowers. She also finds time to serve as a consultant in personnel policies and public relations programs for area hospitals and businesses.

Although the demands on Dr. Townsend's time are numerous and the respites few, quiet moments will find him in his favorite chair with one of many books which he purchased that week covering topics ranging from agriculture to zoology. When finished, he donates them to local libraries and high schools, thereby broadening his scope while increasing their collections.



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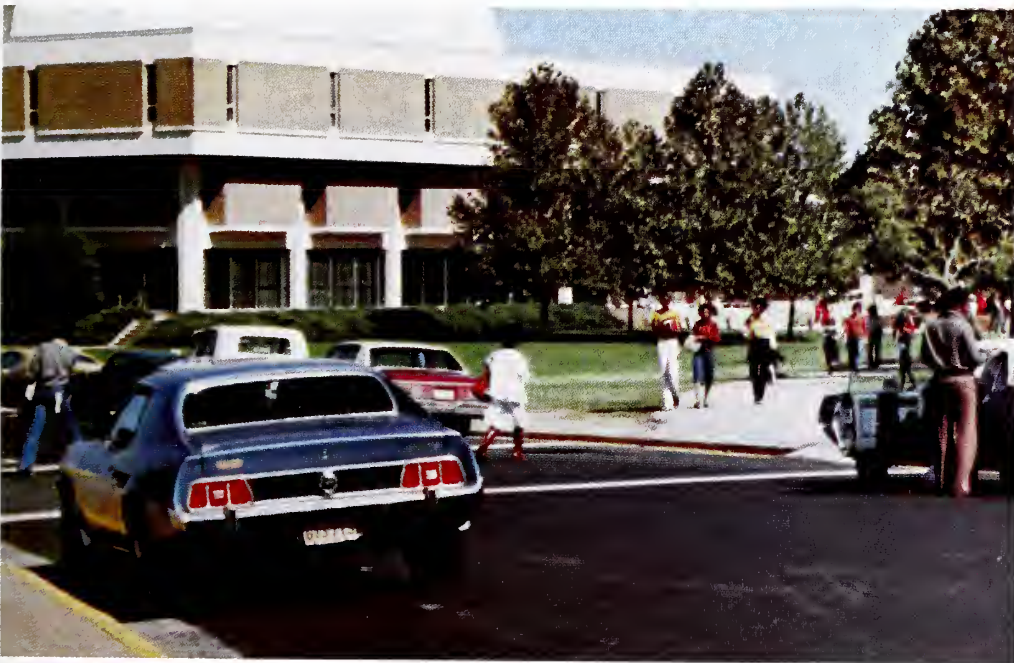








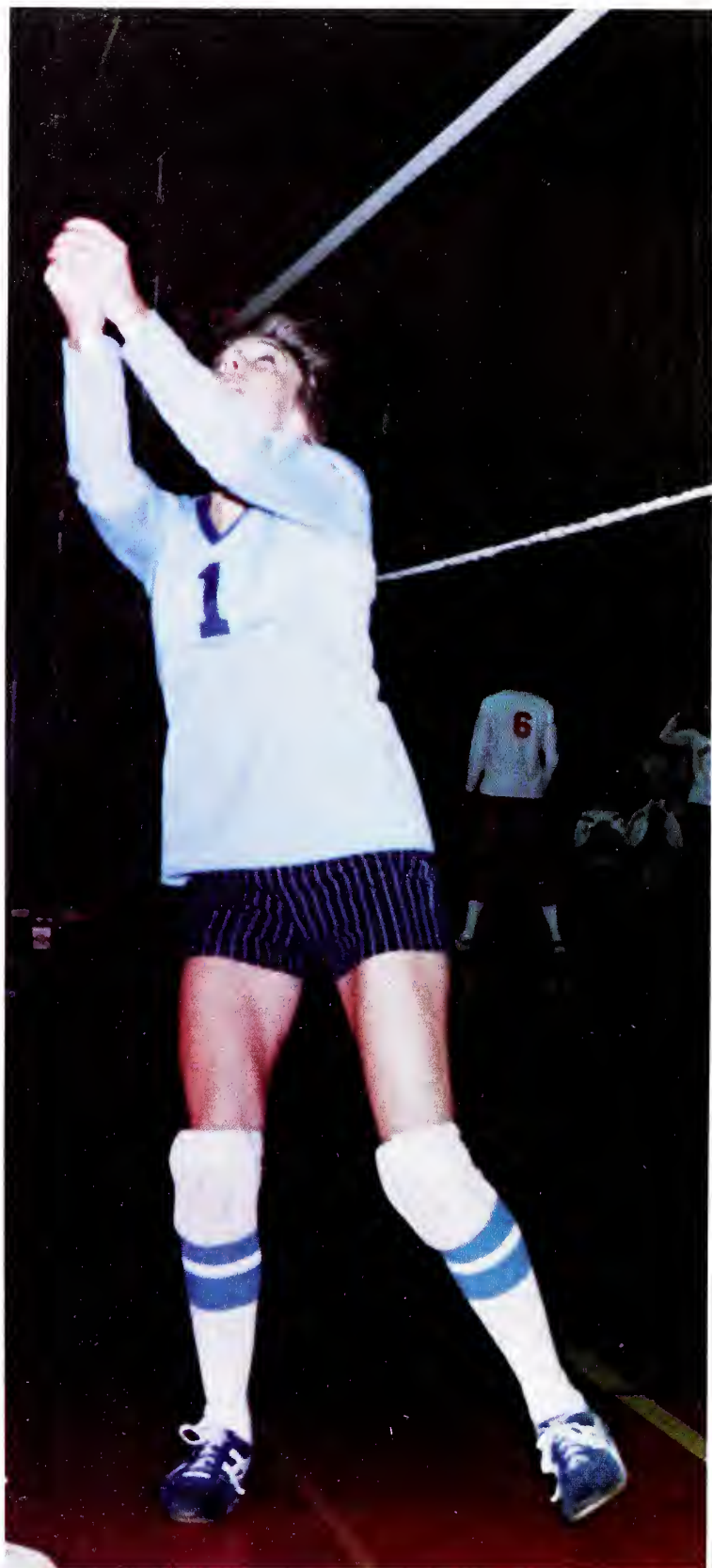


















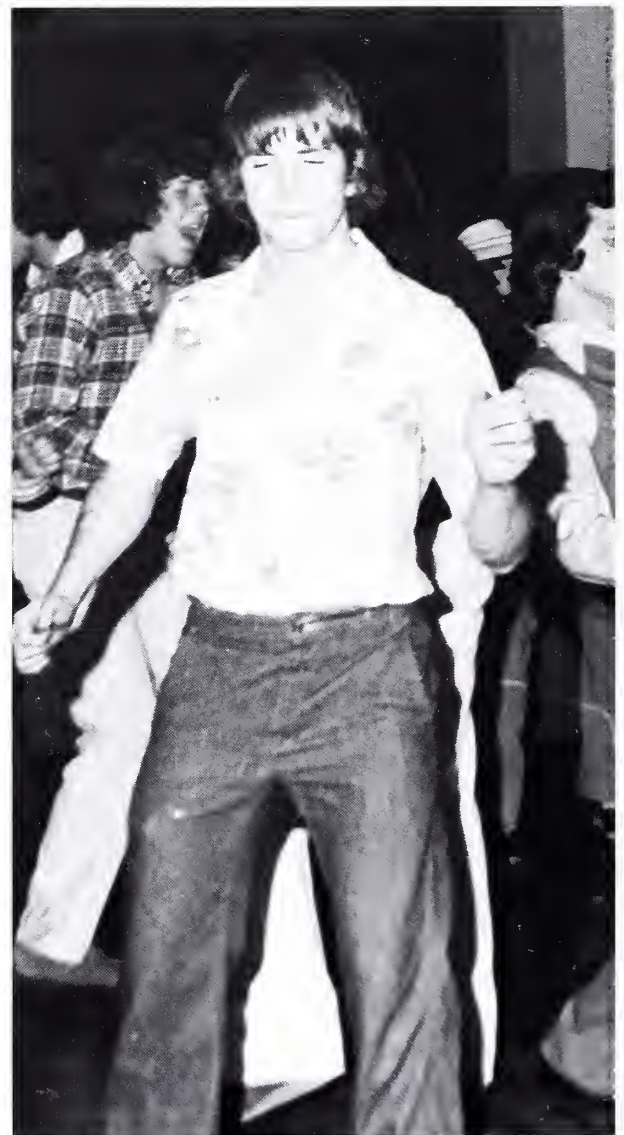




















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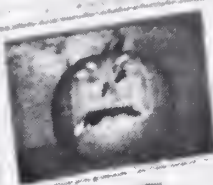
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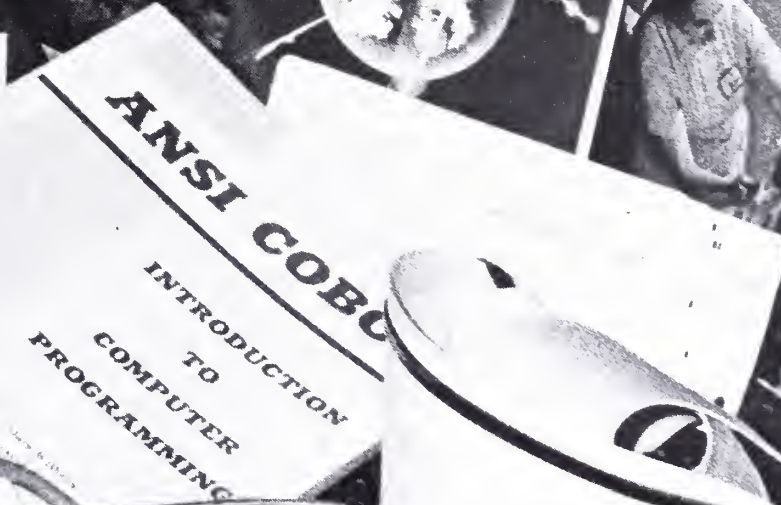
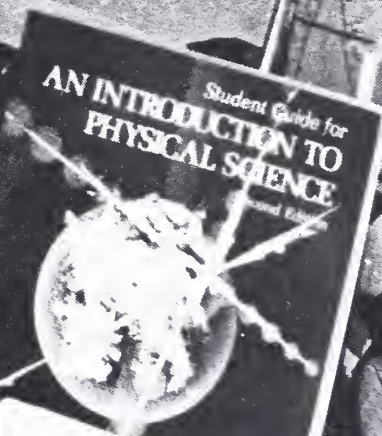
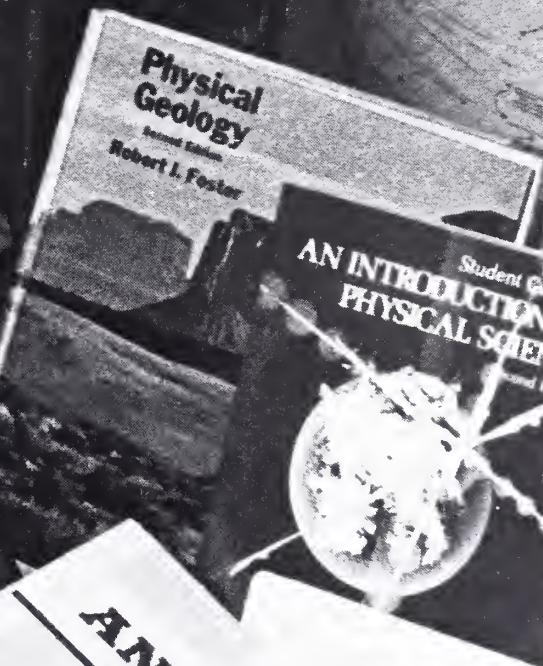
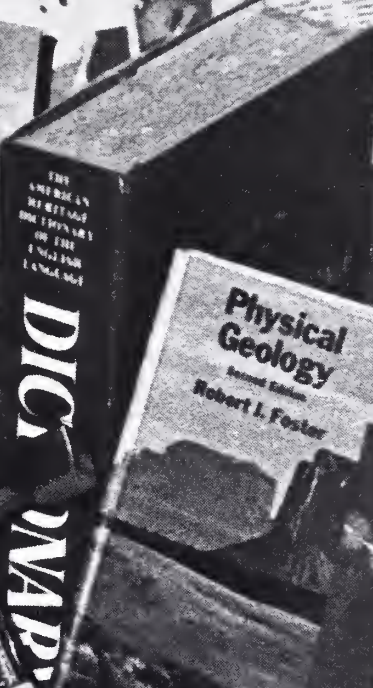
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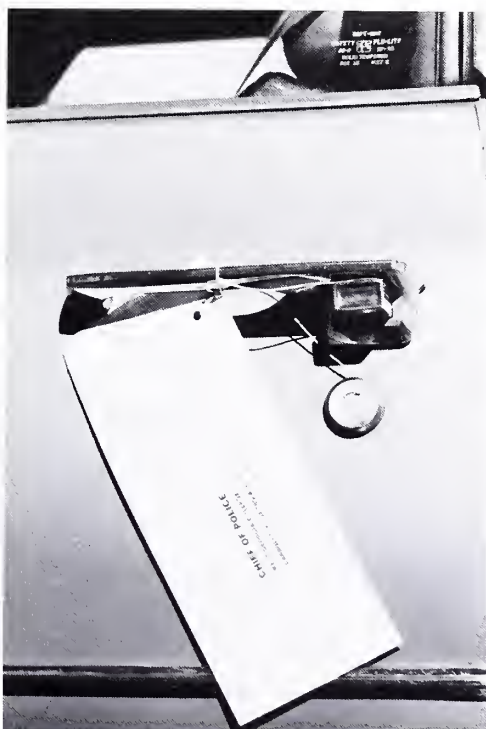


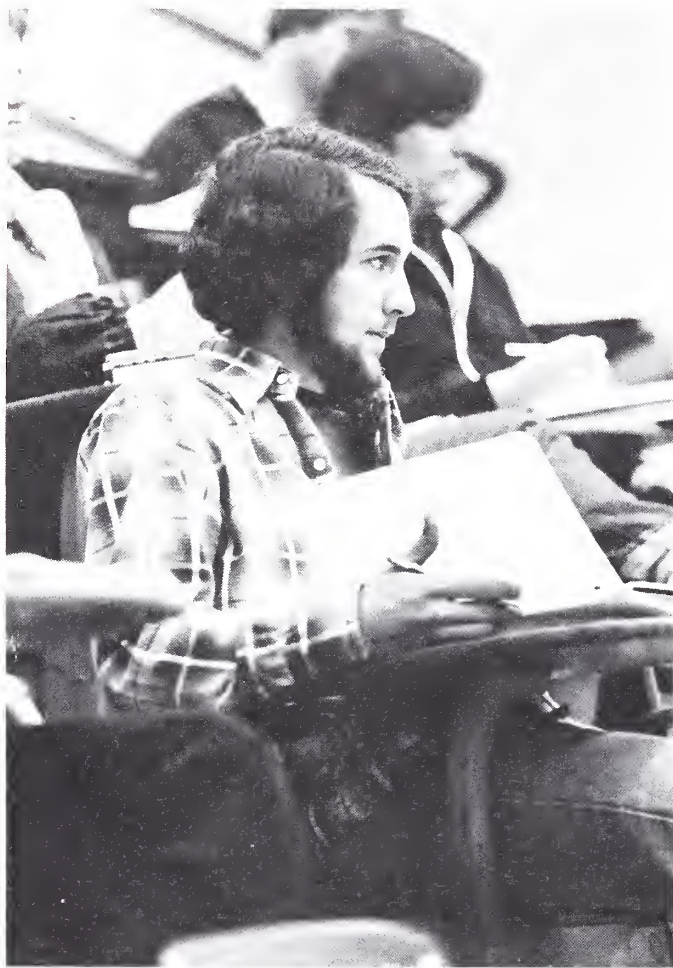
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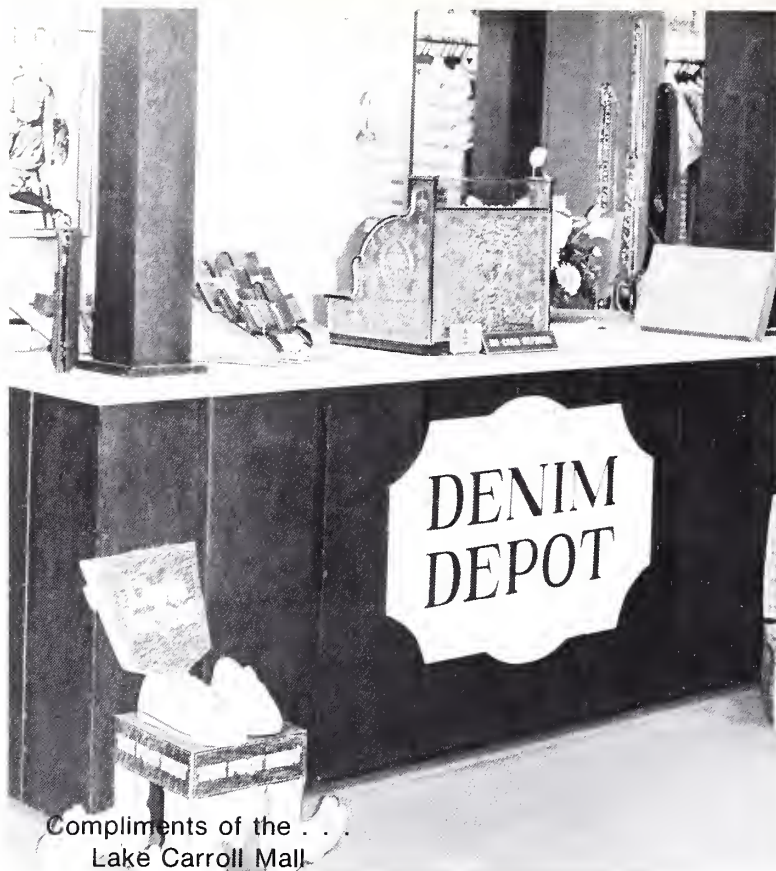
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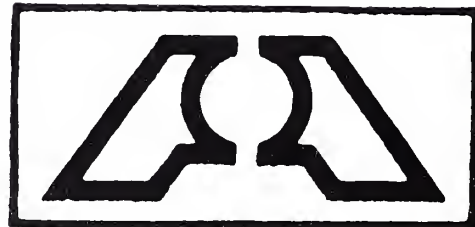
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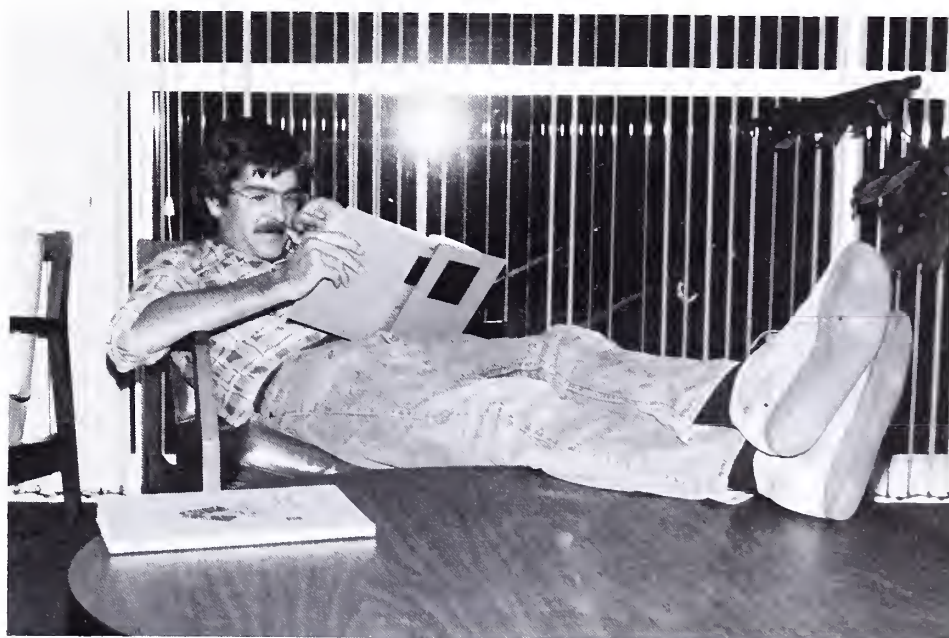
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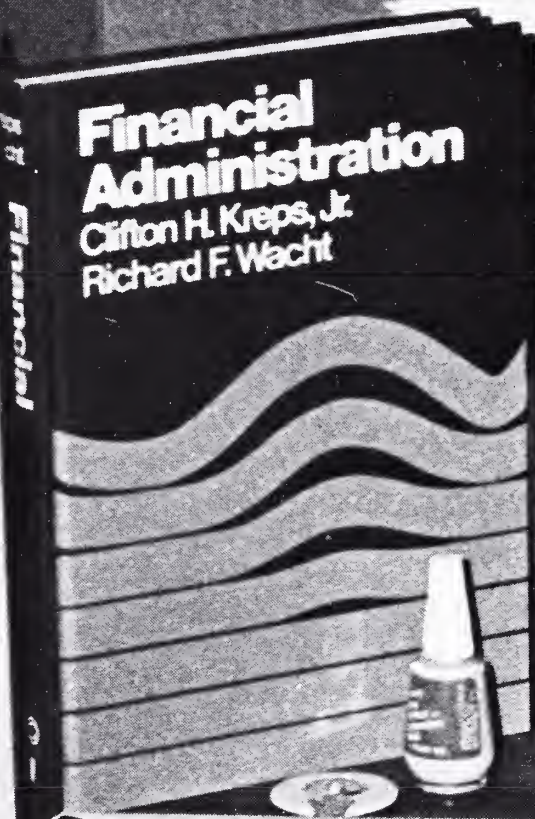
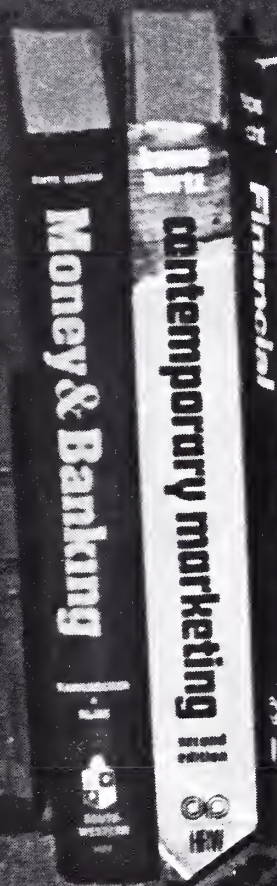
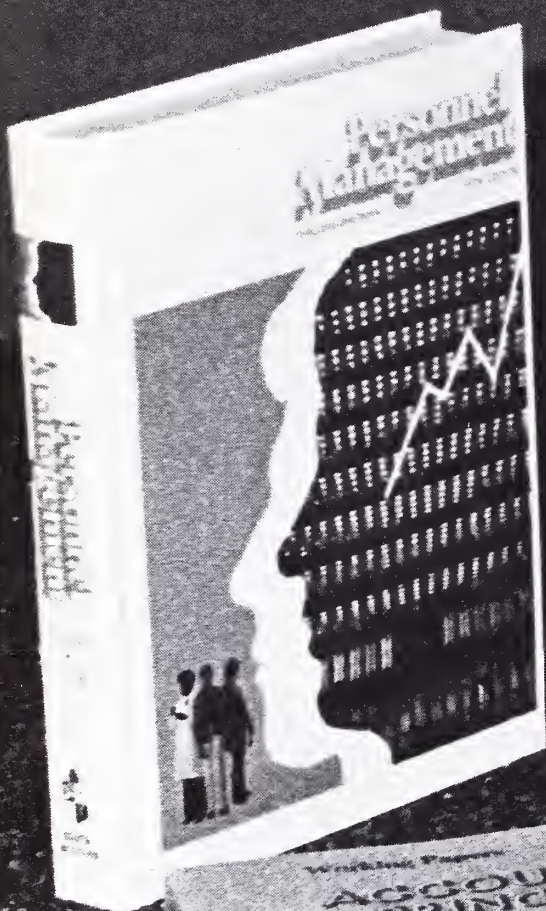


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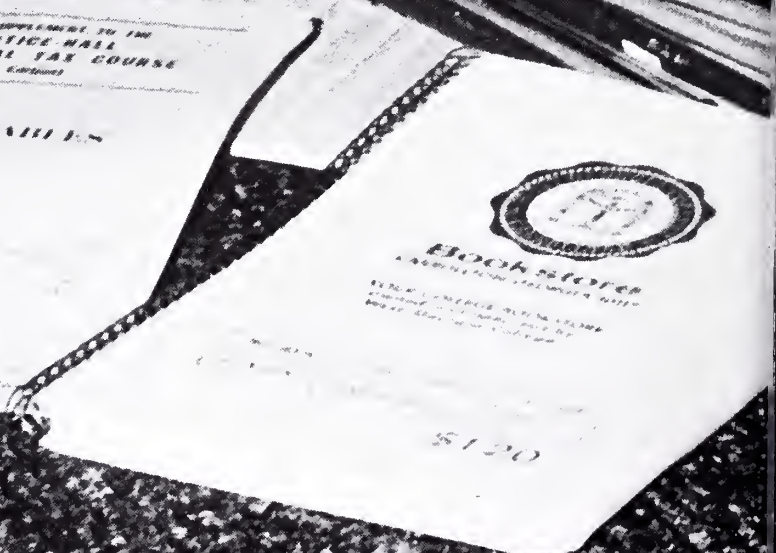
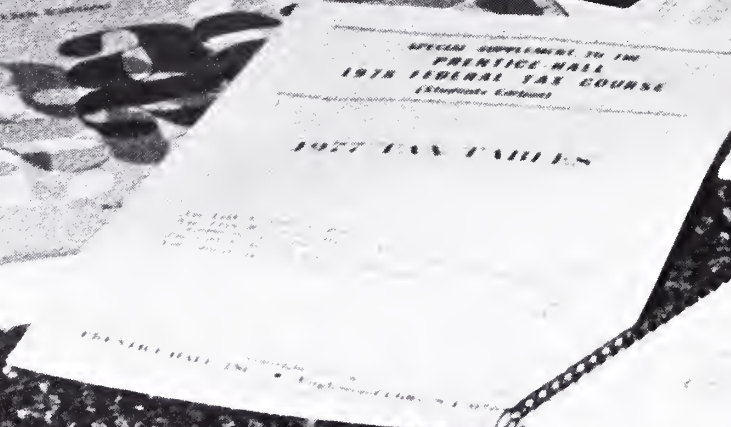
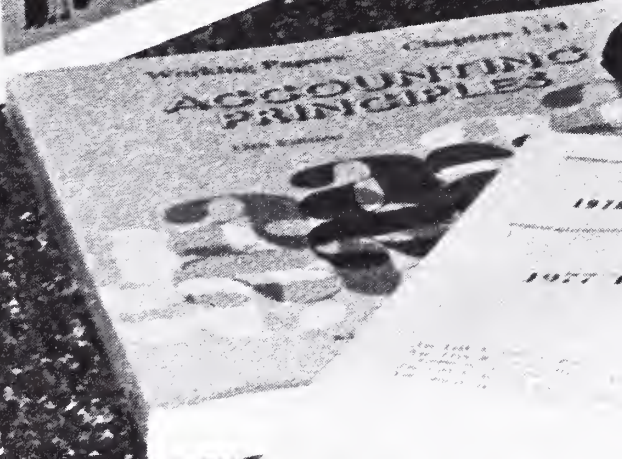
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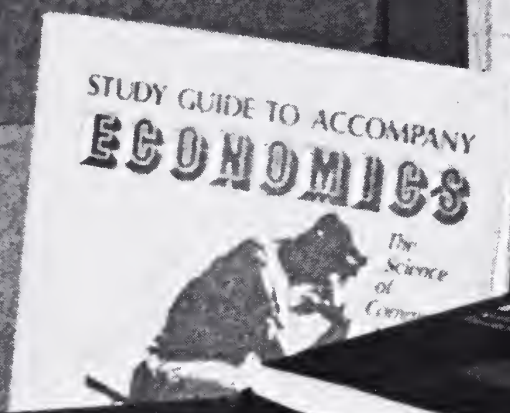




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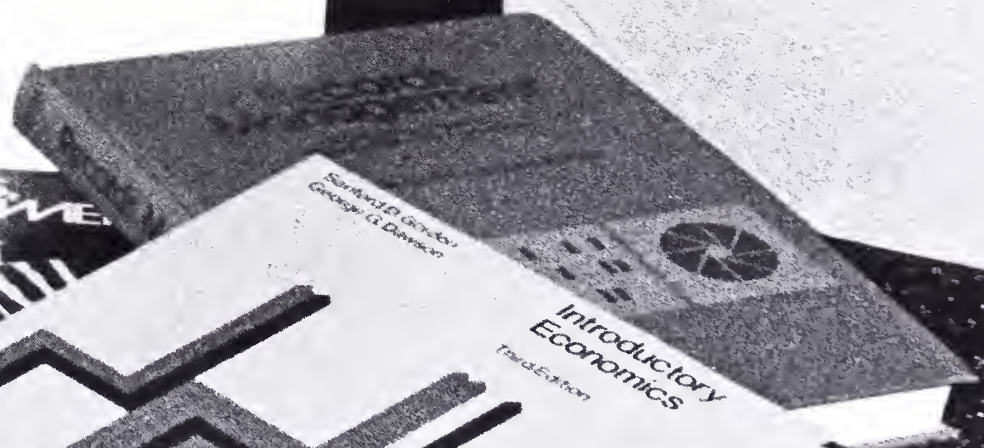


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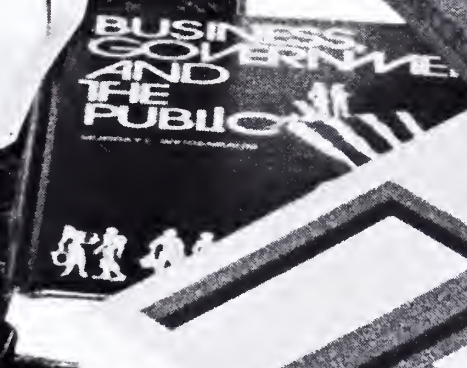


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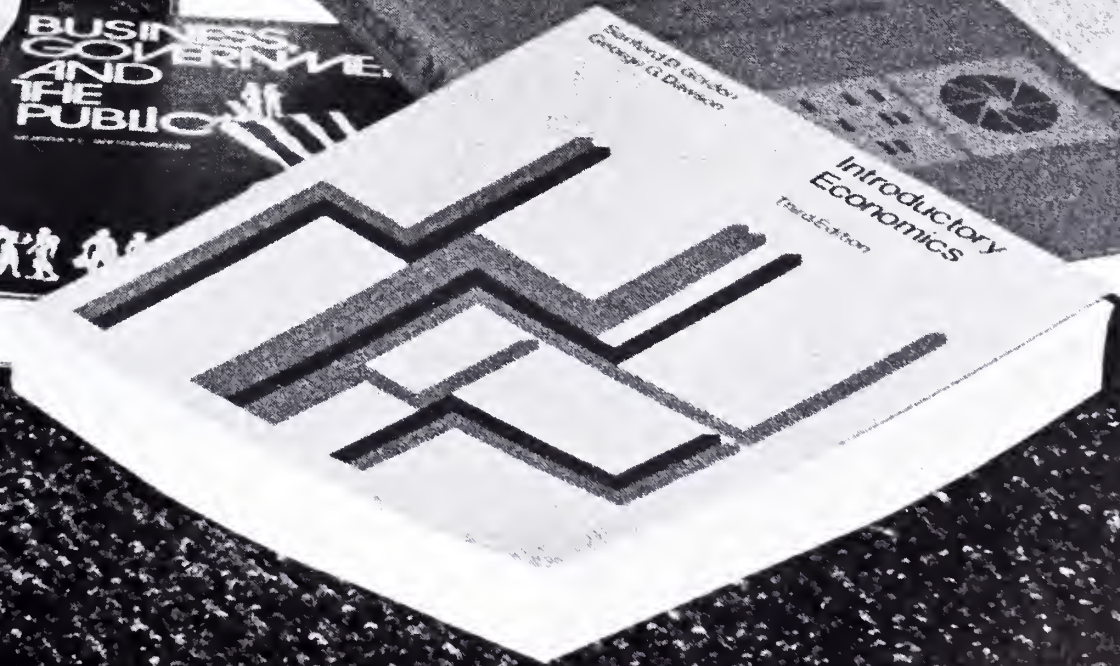


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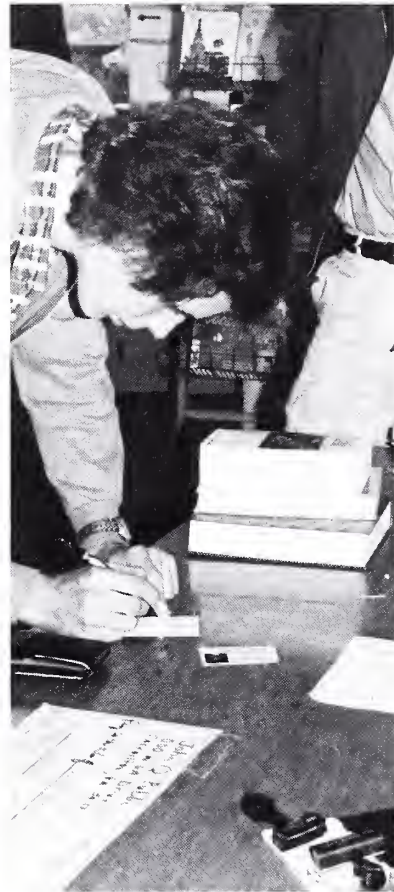
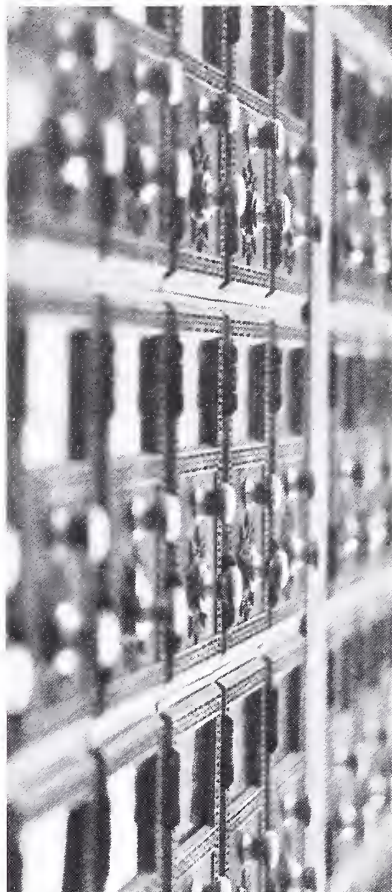


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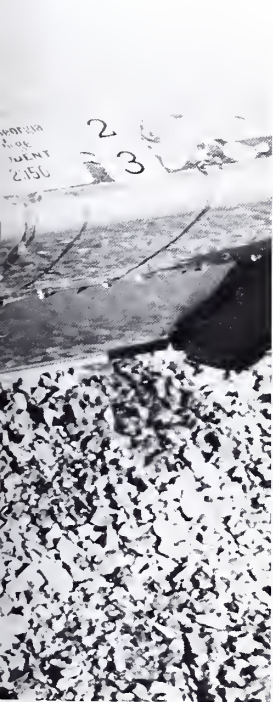




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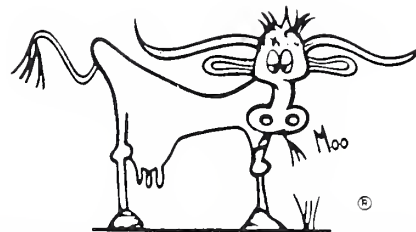
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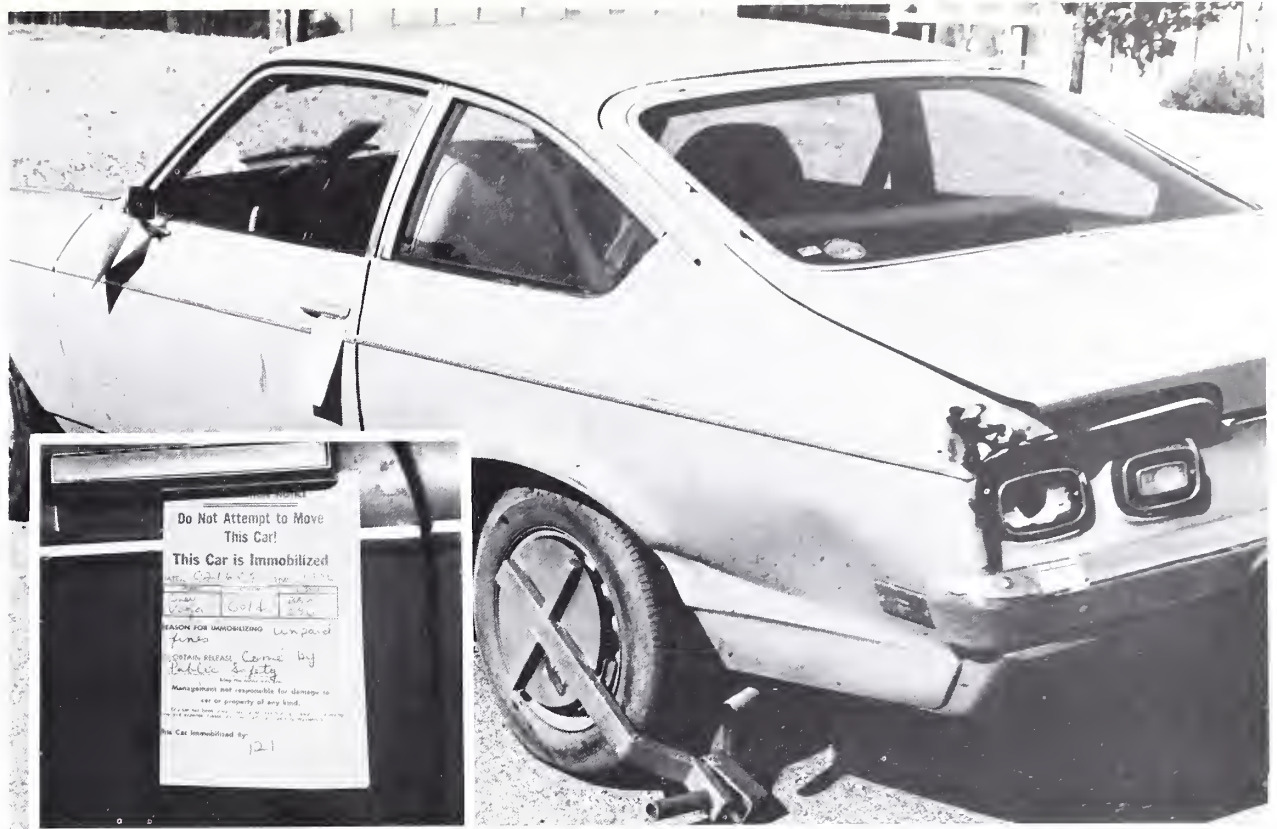


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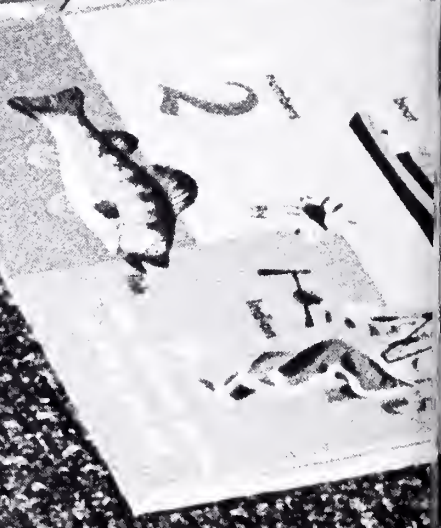
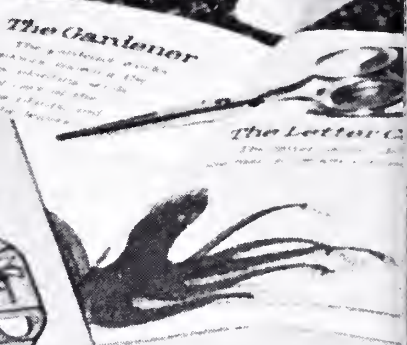
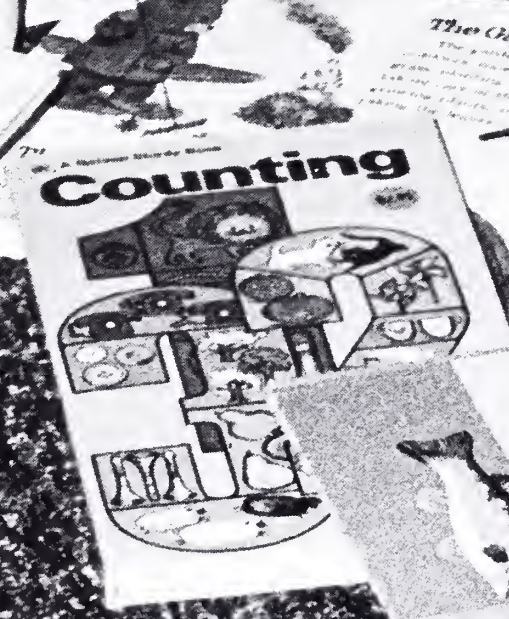
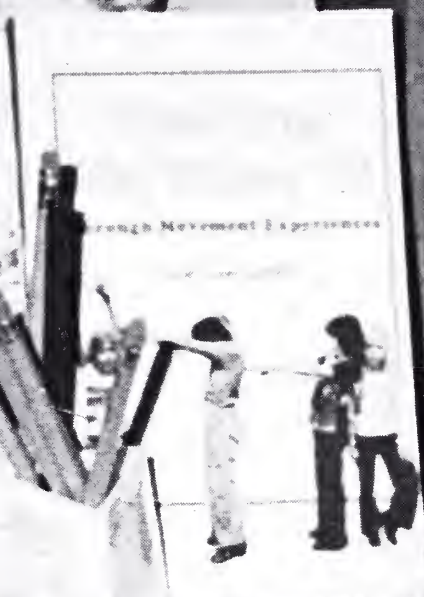
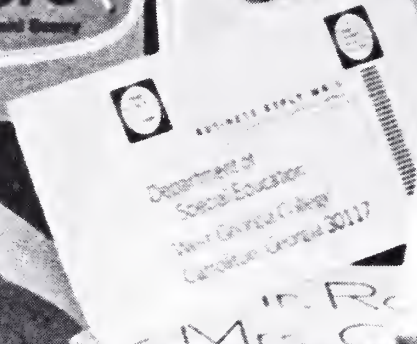
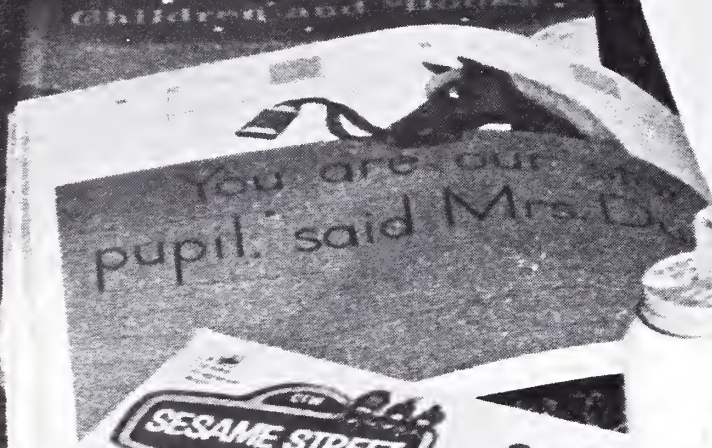


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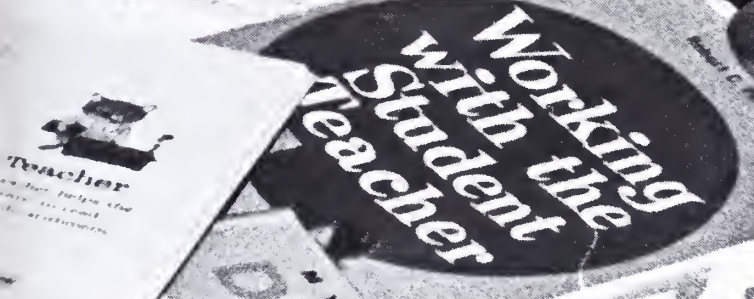
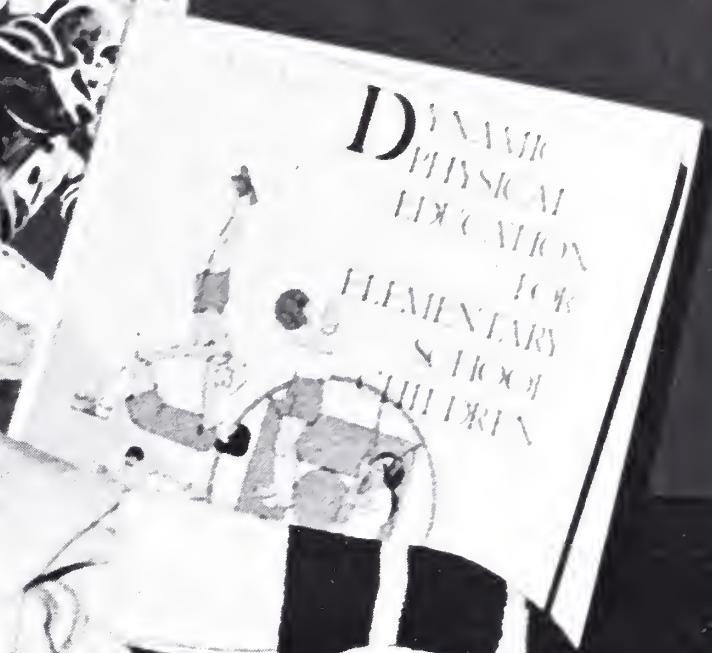
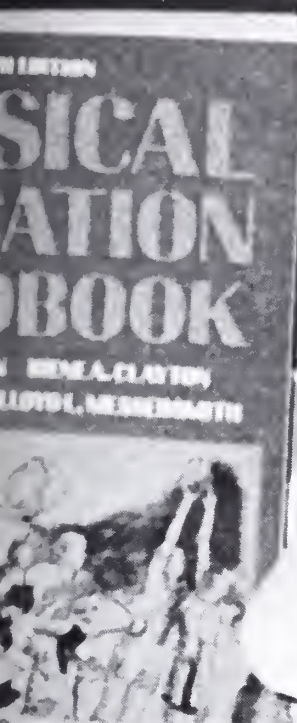


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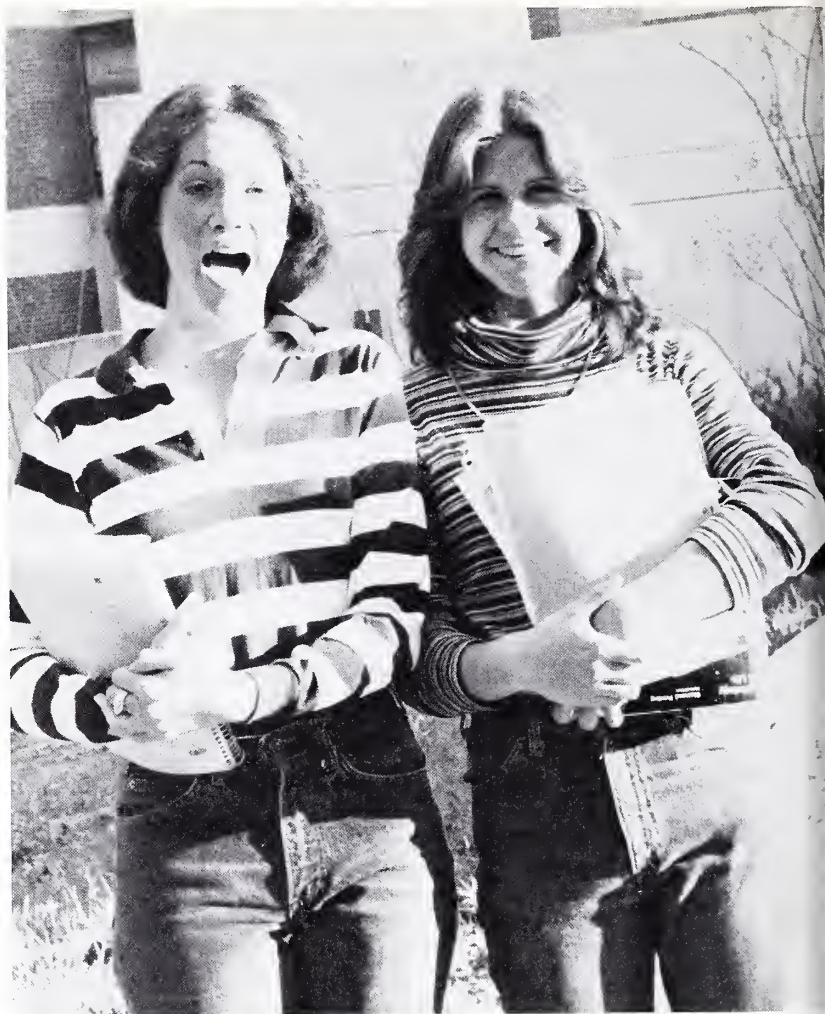
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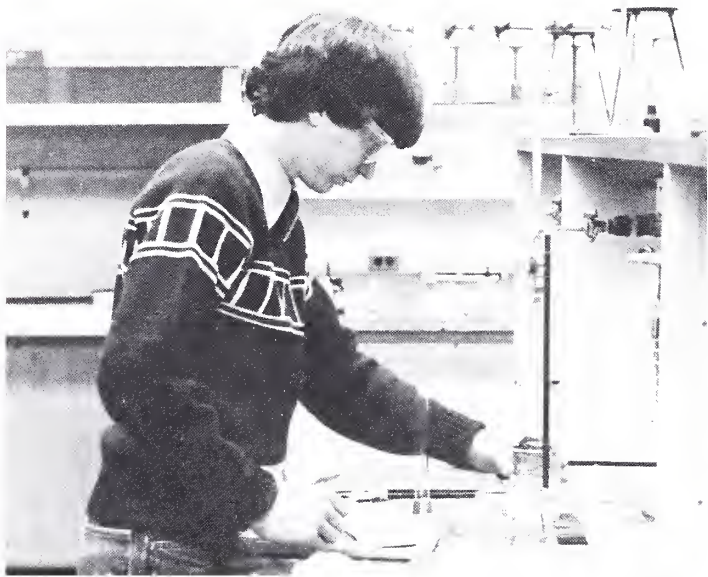
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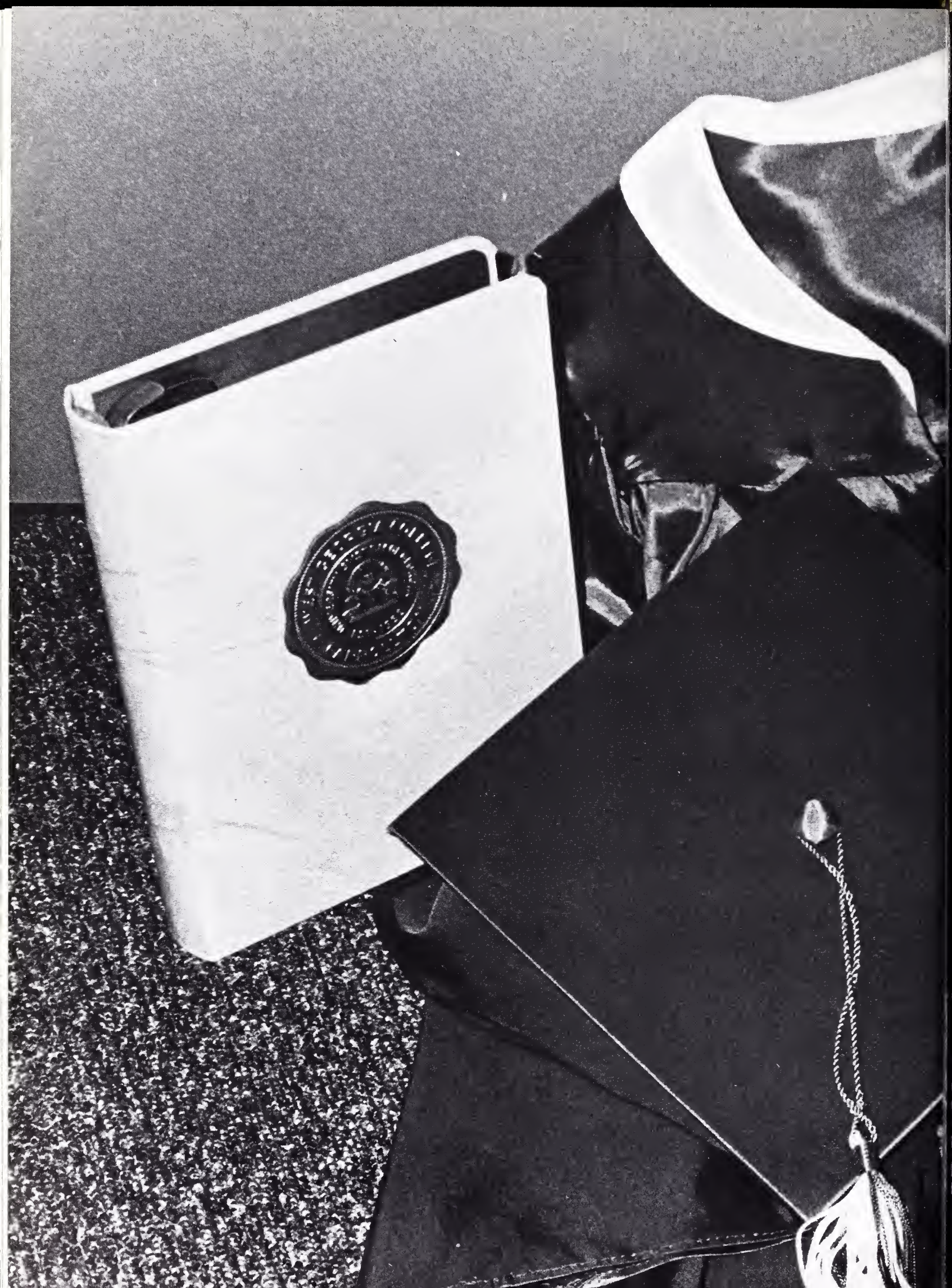
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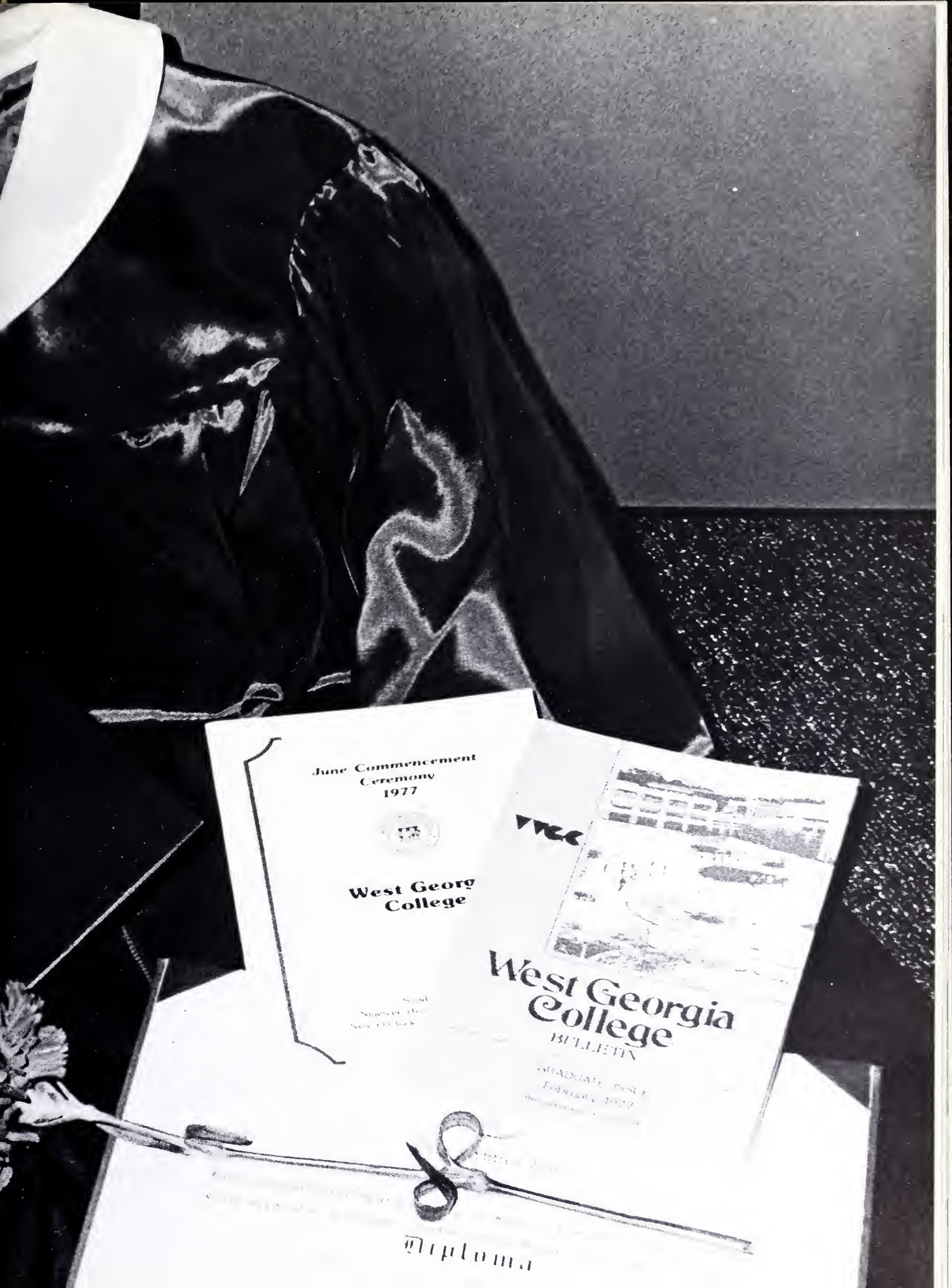
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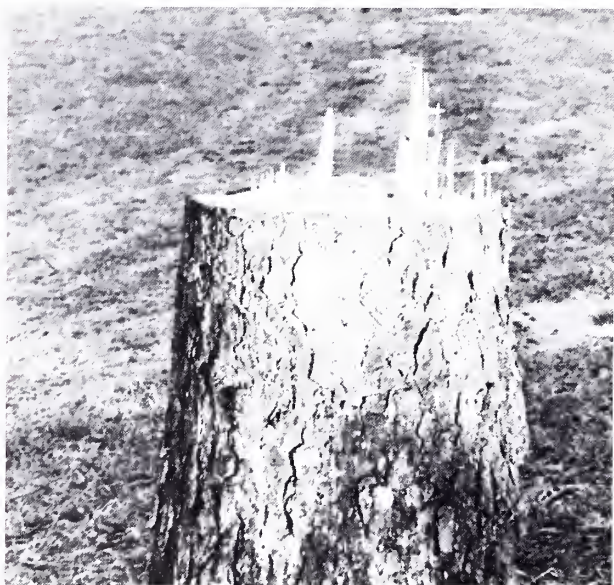
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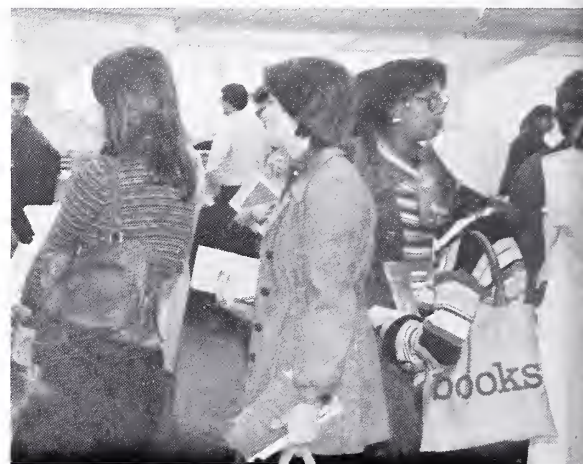




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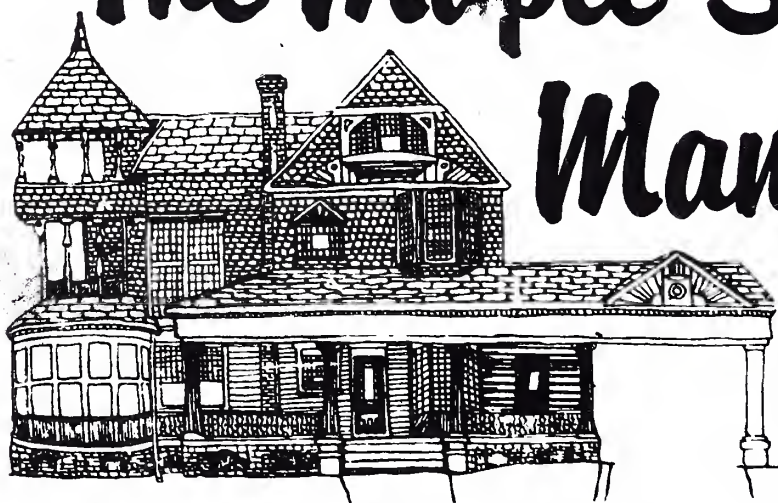






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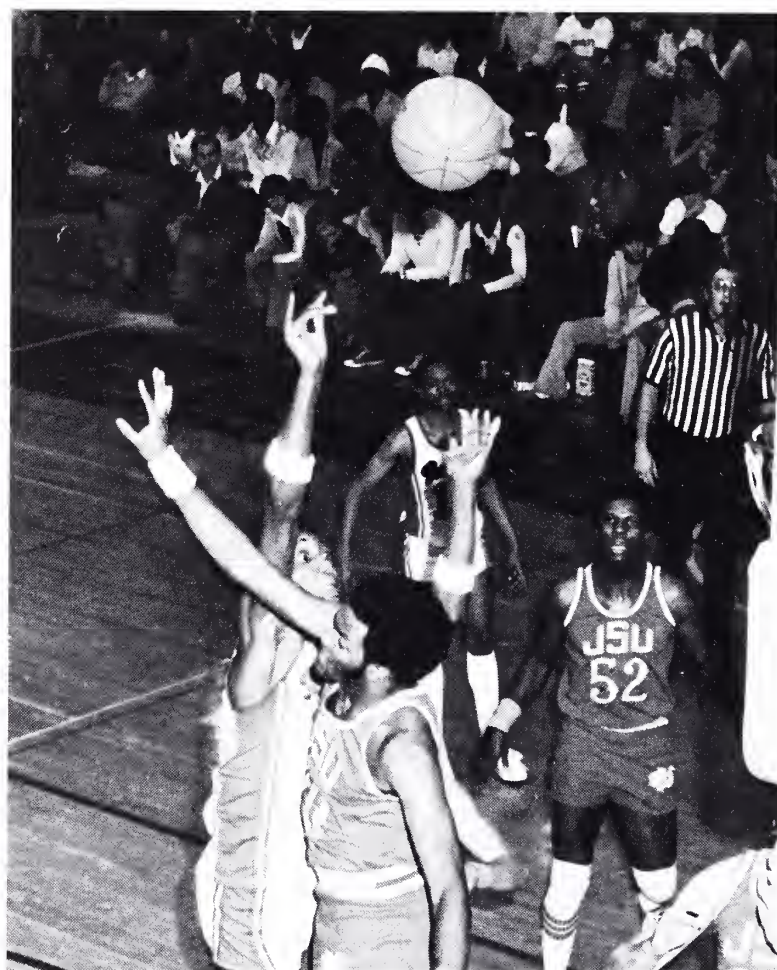


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Although the West Georgia College Braves won their last three games of the 1977-78 season and claimed the South Atlantic Conference Tournament Championship, the recently completed season will always be remembered by the players, coaches and fans as "The Year of the Shaft."





For some reason or reasons that were under investigation by the NCAA following a formal protest filed by WGC, the Braves were denied a bid to a regional tournament when the final berths were filled by the eight regional chairmen.

"It will be a long time before I personally get over what has happened," West Georgia head coach Roger Kaiser said. "And it will be something that our players, especially the seniors, and a few NCAA officials will have to live with for the rest of their lives, but for different reasons.







"When all of the facts are known of this entire situation," Kaiser added, "there are going to be a lot of embarrassed people. Our only rectification is that what has happened to us will force the NCAA to make many long overdue changes in its selection process and make doubly sure that they place competent, unbiased people in positions of responsibility and importance."

As for the ending of the Braves season, West Georgia tipped it off by ripping Armstrong State 102—90 in a tournament first round game played in Carrollton.

It was then on to Columbus, Ga. for the semifinals of the SAC playoff and a match with number five nationally ranked Columbus College.





# The Basketball Braves



When the smoke had cleared, the Braves had humiliated the powerful Cougars 95-65 before a partisan crowd of 1,400 fans who jammed the Columbus gym.



Senior All-American candidate Jarvis Reynolds poured in 31 points and grabbed 18 rebounds to pace the 30-point rout.





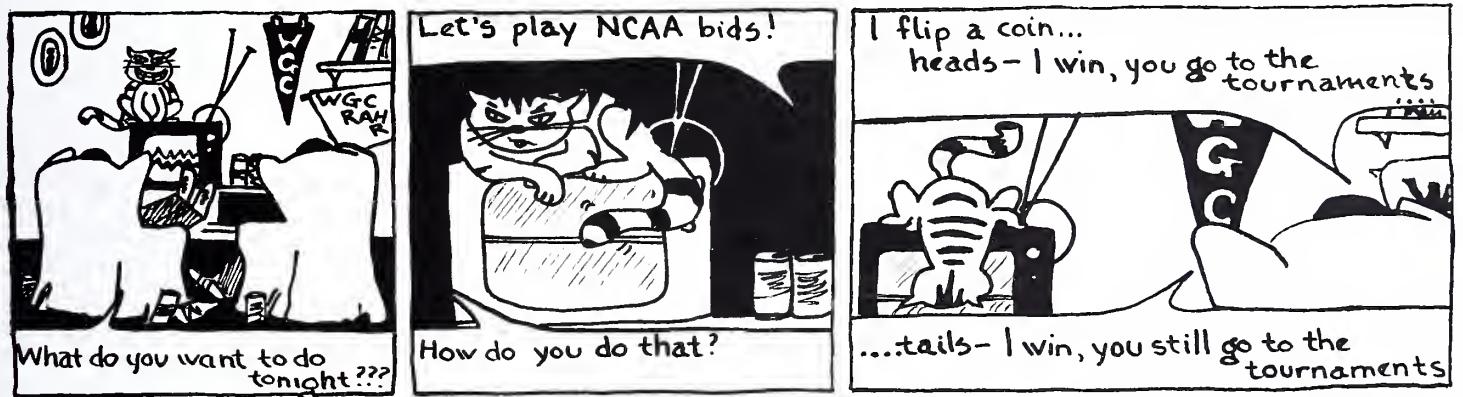
***Go  
Braves!***





In the championship game, the Braves whipped arch rival Valdosta State 78-70 for the first time in four meetings.

West Georgia led throughout the game, building a 14 point margin late in the contest before taking the final eight-point decision. Senior guard Mike Maddox topped the Braves in scoring with 22 points, while Reynolds added 19, and freshman Lamar Frady contributed 18.



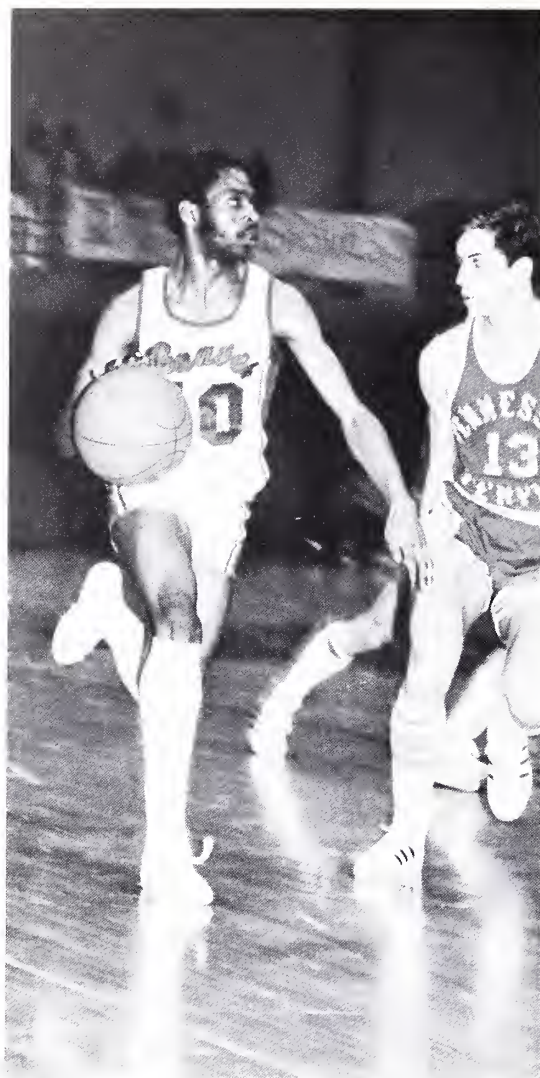
(two outa three?)

"(Before that game), we told our players that they finally had to put it together, and their only hopes of winning a regional bid were to win the next three games in five days and do it impressively," Kaiser said "It may sound corny, but those kids played their hearts out and played their best basketball of the season. We were really rolling, and I even had flashes of '74 when we got going so good in the playoffs and won the national championship."

But because of facts investigated by the NCAA, West Georgia coach Roger Kaiser's telephone did not ring that Sunday night when the regional invitations were issued.







Jarvis Reynolds, the leading scorer and rebounder in the SAC, was named to the All-Conference team. Sophomore guard Corky Umstead, a mathematics major, was named the SAC's Academic Athlete of the Year for having the highest grade-point average (3.76 of a possible 4.0) in the league. Following the championship game, West Georgia's Mike Maddox and Lamar Frady were selected to the All-Tournament Team and Reynolds was named the tourney's "Most Outstanding Player."









West Georgia finished the season 20-8, the school's eighth straight winning season under Kaiser (167-65), and won the SAC Tournament title for the second time in five years.

The Braves lose two starters, Jarvis Reynolds and Mike Maddox, but return 6'7" freshman Lamar Frady, 6'5" junior Robert Stanley, and sophomore guard Corky Umstead, all who started down the season stretch, as well as 6'5" Clarence Porch, 6'2" Scott Thomas, and 6'3" Willie Almond who started several games during the season.



West Georgia also has a very talented quartet of "redshirts" who are expected to be in very strong contention for starting berths when preseason practice rolls around next October.

(from a news release issued by Dan Minish, SID)





## 1977-1978 West Georgia Braves

10	Mike Maddox	Guard
12	Corky Umstead	Guard
14	Jarvis Reynolds	Center
21	Willie Almond	Guard-Forward
24	Reggie Tyler	Guard
30	Scott Thomas	Forward-Guard
31	Ben Bunt	Forward-Guard
32	Clarence Porch	Forward
34	Robert Stanley	Forward
40	Robert Speight	Forward-Center
42	Lamar Frady	Forward-Center
	Danny O'Brien	Guard
	Chip Chandler	Guard
	Jeff Glushakow	Guard
	Dave Pfister	Forward





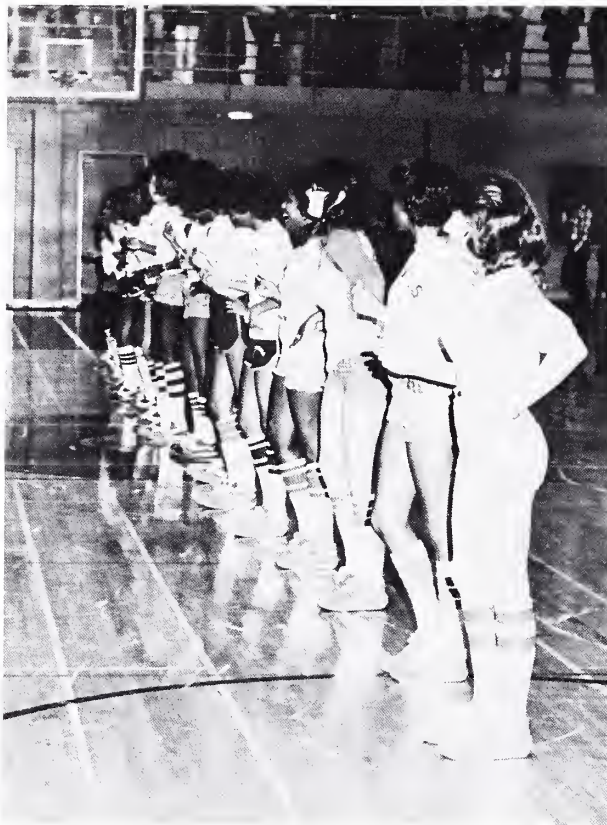
## Braves Cheerleaders











## The Bravettes

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 Barbara Gunter  
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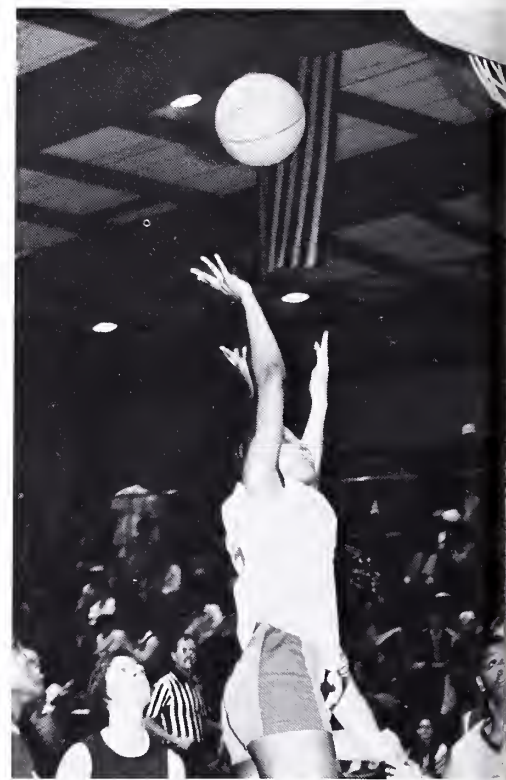


## 1977-1978 Lady Braves



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## 1978 WGC Men's Tennis Team



David Dude  
 Don Harshbarger  
 John Grogan  
 Holley Toler  
 Scott Mercer  
 Dean Jones  
 Mark Goodson  
 Chris Siler  
 Dr. Tom Leaming, Coach  
 Steve Holmes, Asst. Coach







## 1978 Men's Track Team

David Bevans, Distance Runner  
Brian Kessler, Distance Runner  
Jack Raney, Distance Runner  
Vender Black, Sprinter  
Freddy Benton, Sprinter  
Donald Ferguson, Sprinter & Hurdler  
Nolan Wood, Shot Put & Discus  
Michael Stiggers, Sprinter  
Clarence Porch, Sprinter (not pictured)  
Greg Langford, Pole Vault (not pictured)  
Don Price, Coach











## 1977 Women's Volleyball Team

Tina Masengale, Sherry Taylor, Temekia Houston, Lyn Scott, Captain; Clema Billingsley, Jane Camp, Valerie Valenti, Medra Ashmore, Sue Doran, Captain; Ida Mae Huiel, Lori Stevenson









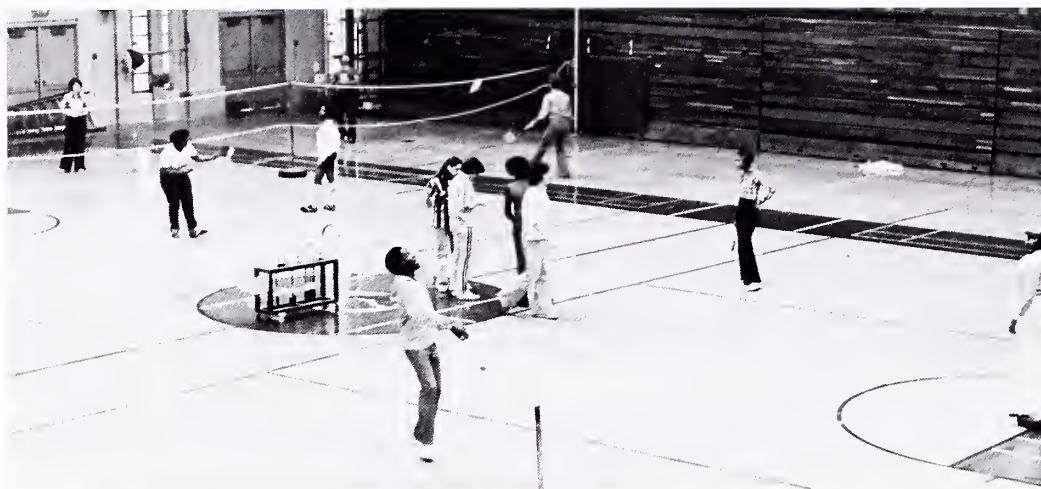
The 1978 Baseball Braves



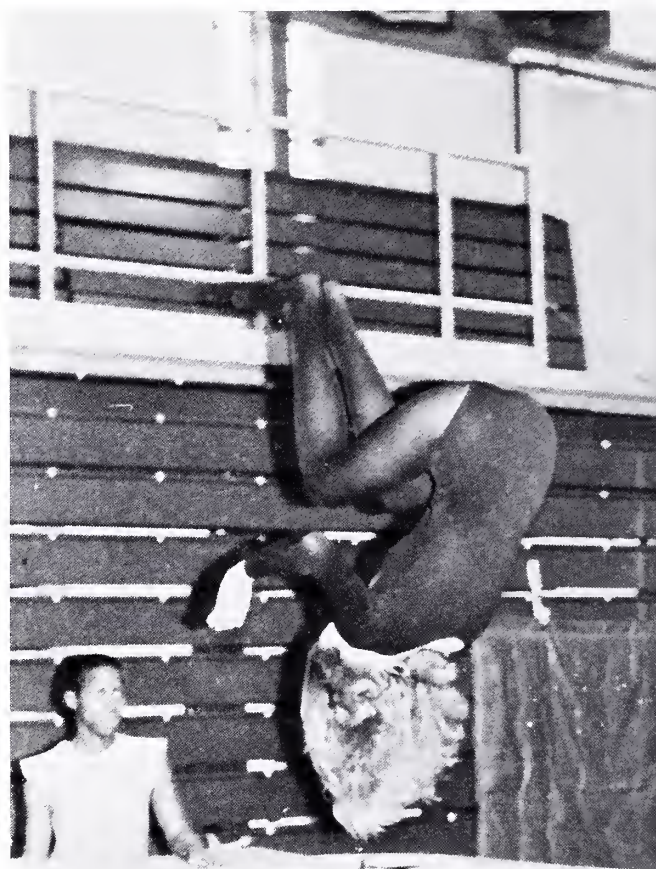


The West Ga. Baseball Braves have remained at the top of the Conference thanks to the determination of the players themselves and the expert guidance of Coach Archie White. Several West Ga. players have found positions in the various major league organizations.





And it is written, "All students of West Georgia College shall complete six quarters of physical education." So bowing to a wisdom greater than their own the students of West Georgia College register. They register for archery and badminton, riflery and tennis, swimming and camping. And let us not forget foundations; that greatest of all classes which seeks to inform students of their weaknesses. Many students consider physical education a waste of time and money, especially money. First we must pay to take the

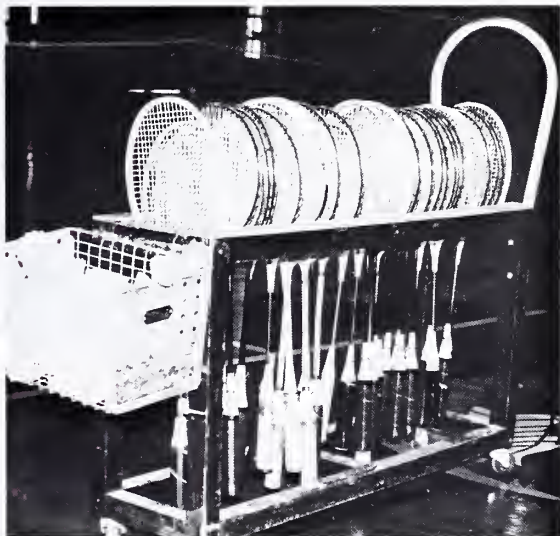


class and then we must pay student fees, a good portion of which are used to support the Athletic Department of West Georgia College. But the physical education requirement has its purpose and its benefits. Physical education is just as important as the





education of the mind, perhaps it is even more so. For if we lack a fit body able to withstand the pressures of the modern world, we lack the platform from which the educated mind can face that modern world. Nearly all people enjoy physical activity once they get involved with the activity and are able to see how much fun it is and

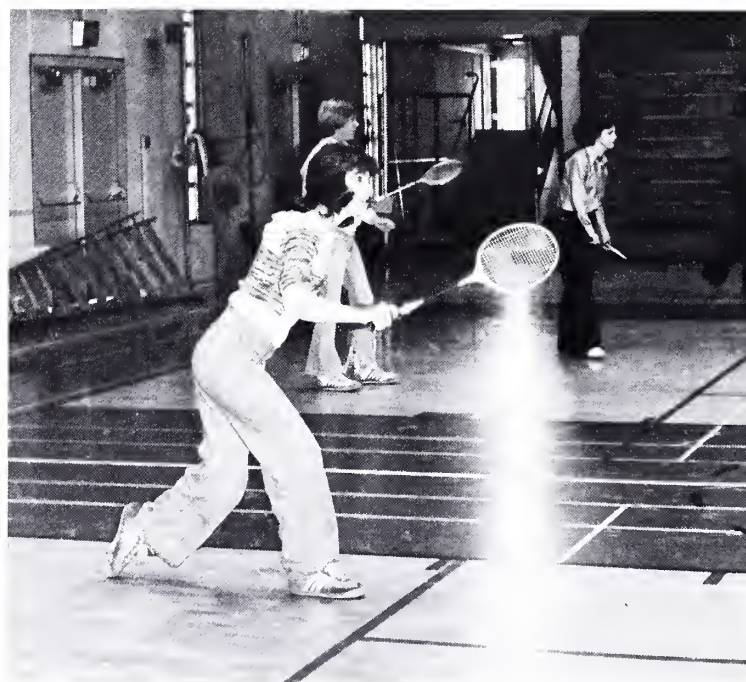






how much better they feel. But some people just have to be forced into doing things that they think they don't want to do.

West Georgia college students have access to one of the most complete facilities for physical activity. Not only is there a gym with numerous backboards for basketball, there is also a heated pool, a weight room, and tennis court. And most of these facilities are open during the week and on the weekend for







individual and small group use. Yet most students avoid the HPE building as if it housed the quarantine ward. This is unfortunate for they only deprive themselves of enjoyment in which they might have partaken.





# West Georgia Soccer Club



Spring 1977



Fall 1977

Phil Willingham  
Mark Graham  
Scott Riley  
Tom Callahan  
Mike Boyd  
Steve Thurman  
Scotty Chestnut  
Rex Rooker  
Earl Morris  
Mark Roland

Charles "Woody"  
Wojick  
Lee Morris  
Robert Batte  
"Chico" Moss  
Victor Carew  
Tom Sola  
Totta Greene  
Jim Jandl

Ronnie "Alkie"  
Alkire  
Chris Wilson  
Abbi Soussi  
Scott Allen  
Terry Hudson  
Ralph Sanders  
Ricardo Moss  
Paul Pentye

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John Todd  
Bill O'Brien  
Doug Dell  
David Holton  
Joshua Deitas  
Dr. David Dugan,  
Faculty Advisor



Over the past two years, participants and observers of the West Georgia Soccer Club have seen the quality of team play grow a great deal as their 13/6/1 1977 annual record reflects. Sustaining this successful season was comradeship on and off the field. Also adding to the improved performance was the resodding of the Club's official home field—the track infield.



Recently the Club has built up many contacts, recruiting the cooperation of local and college newspapers and radio stations for publicity purposes. They have also acquired soccer films from major bottling companies on a loan basis, demonstrating offensive, defensive, and goaltending techniques.

The Club members continue to bear all expenses for uniforms, equipment, and away trips, indicating a resolve and dedication for the sport.

Robert "Chico" Moss attended to coaching duties in the spring of 1977, and plans to do so in the spring of 1978, while the fall Soccer Club was led by John Greene, Dr. Dave Dugan remains as the Club's Faculty Advisor.



## Each Season Brings Its Own Highlights . . .

. . . to the sport, and 1977 was no exception.

The Club traveled to Mobile, Alabama, on an invitation to a soccer tournament highlighting independent clubs and college teams.

Although the Club was unable to qualify for the semi-finals, the experience of participation was invaluable. They also had a chance to socialize as a club, driving down in a caravan, sleeping twelve to a motel room, and taking a detour to the Gulf Coast to enjoy the ocean and the beautiful sea breezes.



West Georgia vs. Florida State University at Mobile





# The Mobile Experience



Training in the Sand



The Club also enjoyed defeating the University of Georgia, who is well-known throughout the southeast for their field aptitude. This victory marked the Club's first win over the Athen's team since the Club's origin in 1968, with a rousing score of 6 to 2.



Proving that their hands and feet are equally adept, the Soccer Club formed a softball team, which participated in 1977 spring competition, qualifying for the intramural championship playoffs.







Another achievement for the Club was the lining up of a game with the University of Alabama, another southeastern soccer powerhouse. Although Alabama edged by with a 4 to 3 win, it was not considered a loss by the West Georgia Club who felt pride to have come so close in a tough and competitive match.

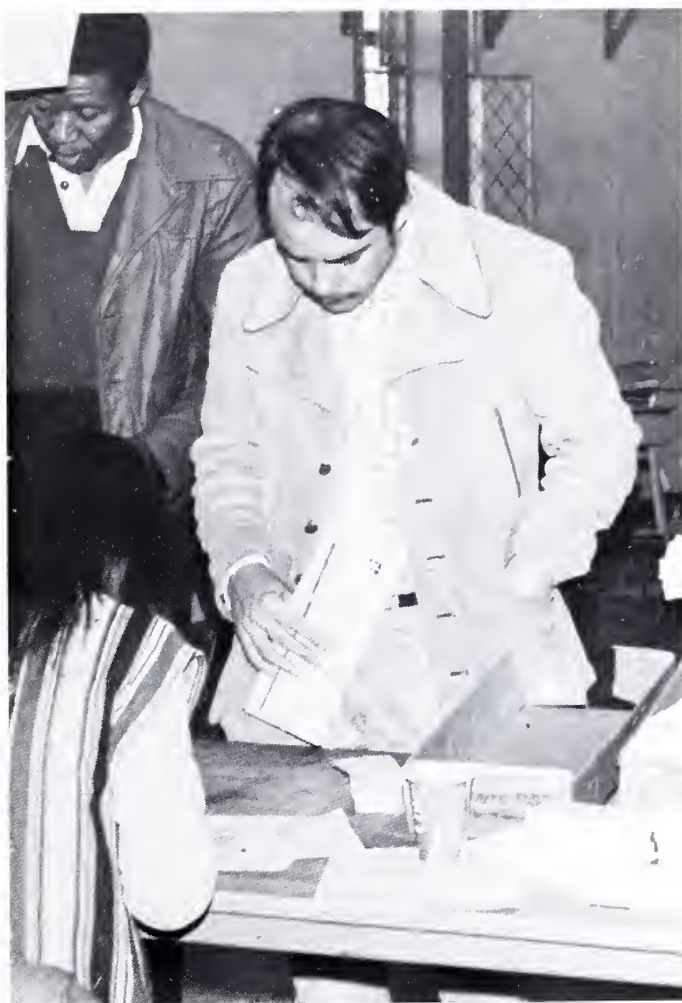




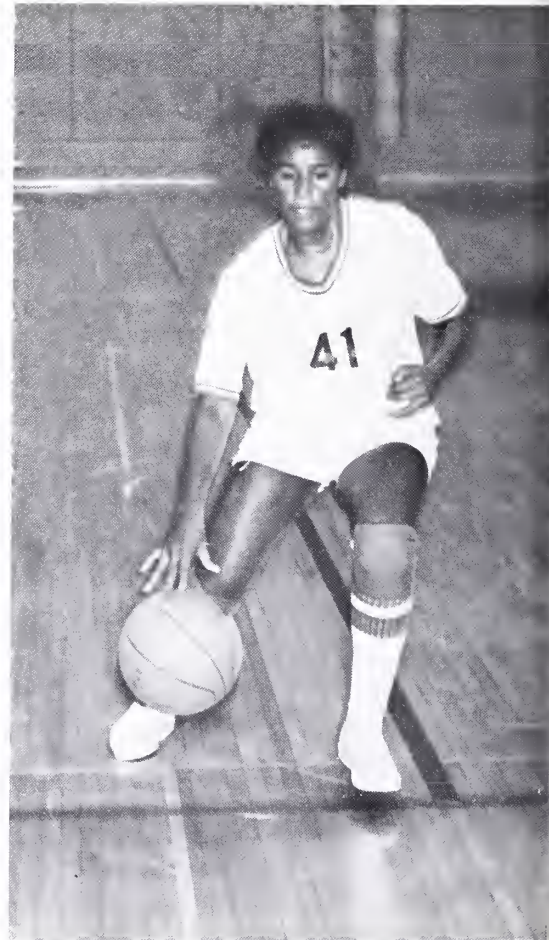




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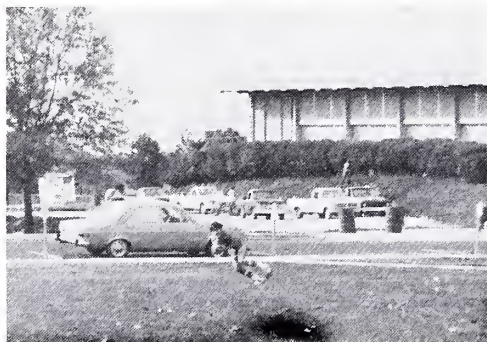




















*Welcome!*  
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MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY



CPB  
Movies  
at 2-6  
eslapshot

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ΣN mixer  
8:00

8

RA  
dinner  
6:30  
2-6

ΔTΔ  
Smoker  
8:00



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KΔ Rush Party  
7:30

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Student Gov't.  
General  
Assembly  
3:30

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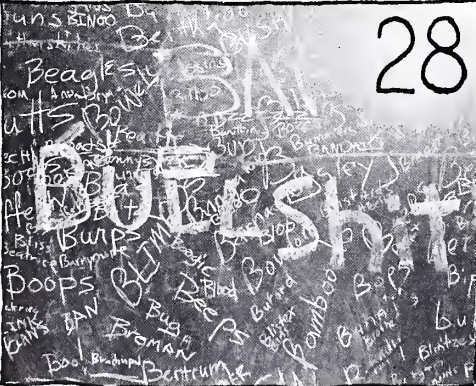
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Piano  
Recital  
3:00

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Cashen Hall

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9	Accounting Club 4:00  APO Meeting 7:30 10	11	Soccer Game 2:30 12
 16	Scuba Club at Pool 17	 18	Going Home! <u>Hoorah!!</u> 19
23 CPB Movie Z6 Bugs Bunny- Super Stars	△△△ Apple Polisher 3:00 24	25	26
30  7:30 Computer Science Club	CPB General Meeting 4:00 31		

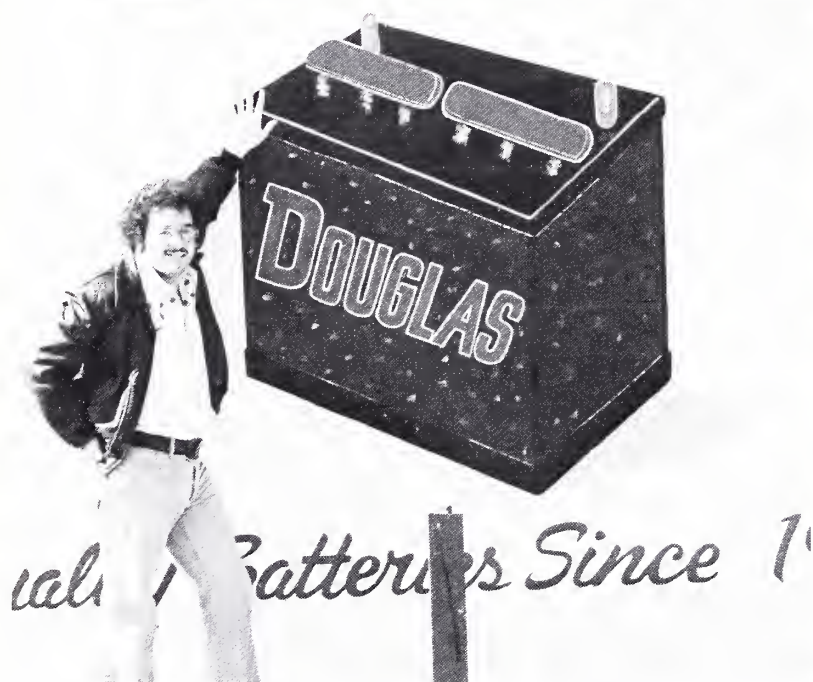


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# College Program Board

The College Program Board has been busy at work this past year planning and presenting varied entertainment for WGC students. We brought you some big movies: "The Deep", "Young Frankenstein", "Slapshot", "Car Wash", "Silver Streak", and "Rocky". We gave you "Mother's Finest" and "The Earl Scruggs Review" in two super concerts. Stan Waterman showed us life under the sea and Gil Eagles showed us life under hypnosis. Homecoming was a very busy weekend. A parade down Maple St. and a dance featuring "Symbol 8" and "Thermos Greenwood". Numerous entertainers visited the campus at the Club Z-6, including Mike Williams, Erin Isaacs, and the Great American Disco.



Mike Manion, Chairman  
Ron Burkhalter, Publicity  
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Cathy Stewart, Films  
Kim Goodrum

Swain Harris  
David Byonne  
Mike Cook  
Art Johnston  
Mel Caraway



# Alpha Phi Omega

Alpha Phi Omega Service Fraternity, Epsilon Eta Chapter, was founded on the West Georgia College Campus in July 1947. Alpha Phi Omega is the largest service fraternity in the United States.

Alpha Phi Omega was founded on the principles of leadership, friendship and service. Alpha Phi Omega has sponsored several service projects since it started at West Ga. College. Among these were the Soap Box Derby, the Miss West Georgia Contest, a Boy Scout Troop, and the quarterly Red Cross Blood Drives.

John Moriarity  
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Dennis Brooks  
Carla Hines  
Lynn Rutlant  
Wydene Murphy  
Robbin Huff  
Marcia Mitchell  
Clarruth Jackson

Ron Burkhalter  
Pat Bonds  
Terry Scott  
Greg Bailey  
Debbie Wilding  
Swain Harris  
Debbie Bartley  
Luther Cox  
Larry Shields, Advisor  
Jerry Burns, Advisor





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Joy Blackwood  
Wayne Bush  
Scott Walton

Frank Beavillieu  
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Brad Link  
Sherry Johnson  
Mark Crawford  
Windsor Hodge  
Penny Dixon  
Brent Wilson  
Mike Hannon  
Ricky Somerville  
Dennis Hayes  
Swain Harris



## Growth And Development Of Individuals





Glynis Thrasher, President  
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Marion Ryan, Secretary  
Jacque Burnett, Treasurer  
Nita Crawford, Historian  
Andrew Short, Sponsor  
Donald Chandler, Advisor

The G.D.I. club is a new organization formed for West Georgia College students across all social and academic disciplines. G.D.I. provides a broad social foundation from which students can explore their personal experiences and life's options. Campus meetings of G.D.I. include workshops, debates, parties, fieldtrips and humanitarian and service projects which create a unity of affirmative actions and objectives among members.



# Softball Team Club

Tena Holmes  
Ida Mae Huiel  
Jane Camp  
Kim Chastain  
Jan Maher  
Ruby Brown  
Colleen Wilborn  
Susan Anderson  
Wanda Lovejoy  
Diane Ansley  
Peggy Carroll  
Medra Ashmore  
Melanie Williams  
Margaret Warren  
Terri Friddell  
Margie Lindsey  
Paula Parham  
Renee Waddell  
Jack Amos, Asst. Coach  
Dr. Betty McVaigh, Coach



# Physical Education & Recreation Club

Lynn Davis, President  
Medra Ashmore, Physical Ed. Vice-President  
Jerry Horton, Recreation Vice-President

Cerie Godfrey, Secretary  
Wanda Lovejoy, Treasurer  
Dr. Betty McVaigh, Advisor  
Dr. Dugan, Advisor



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Joyce Sims  
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Diane Ansley  
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Nolan Wood  
Sally Nort  
Robert Butler  
Marti Woodyard  
Shelia Holts  
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Ginna Rizzo





Chris Hickman, President  
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 Lynn Curson, Secretary-Treasurer  
 Ron Taylor, Advisor  
 John Reddick, Instructor (Not Pictured)

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 Thomas Findley  
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 Van Thomason  
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 James L. Boggs  
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 Tommy Ballenger  
 Robert Feifer  
 Randy Curson

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 John Berquist  
 Jeff Baker



# Residence Life



Rick Folsom  
Ron Taylor  
Willene Wilson  
Debbie Cavender  
Edward Bayens  
Patty Laida



Strozier Annex:  
Marvin L. Morton



Bowdon Hall:  
Lori Powell, Head Resident  
Becky James  
Carolyn Logan  
Brenda Gibson

Marsha Cole  
Cheryl Martin  
Genia Walters  
Debra Walker  
Marcia Mitchell

Not Pictured But Here In Spirit  
Tyus Hall:  
Richard Vaughn, Head Resident  
Jackie Harding  
Lloyd Tipton





Watson Hall:  
 Carol Jones, Head Resident  
 Janet Groover  
 Joann Charping  
 Cathy Dyer  
 Lisa Patton  
 Jill Hendricks  
 Susie Williams  
 Cathy Stewart  
 Cheryl Thomas  
 Carolyn Dennis



Gunn Hall:  
 Nan Graham, Head Resident  
 Vicki McGahee  
 Kim Kendricks  
 Robert Lowe  
 Clarence Brown  
 Nolan Wood



Pritchard Hall:  
 Mike Morris, Head Resident  
 Kin Henderson  
 Tom Findley  
 Virgil White  
 Jeff Baker  
 Bob Wilson  
 Chuck Taylor  
 Tommie Dix



## More Residence Life. . .



Roberts Hall:  
 Willie Ingram, Head Resident  
 Jeff Chelette  
 Tom A. Cooper  
 Marc L. Davis  
 Eric Smith  
 Jim Page  
 Duane Higdon  
 Hugh Toro  
 Scott Peden  
 Rickey Stephens



Downs Hall:  
 Marci Bolt  
 Karen Smiley  
 Mary Ruth Lee  
 Susie Smith

Cathy Clayton  
 Kim Goodrum  
 Anita Williams  
 Dillia Hill



WHAT IS TO BE WILL BE

Within the years that I have grown  
to be the adult that I've accomplished to be  
and with the misery and pain I seemed to load  
why can't life open up with a turn of your key

Why can't my feelings be seen  
and understood within your hearts  
and why can't I be the person I am to be  
without being poisoned with your darts

you see, I can't change for you  
and I wouldn't expect it from thee  
because I know how life could be a pain  
if you're not the person you're supposed to be  
it's not that I enjoy my life

how could I with the hurt you've given me  
it's just that I was born

to be the person that I am to be  
and now there's no way to change it  
and live the life you expect of me  
so try to accept the things I am  
and maybe a better life for me there'll be  
because as of now there is no hope  
of my being completely happy and free  
and with your feelings, I know not how to cope  
and explain that it's still the same ole me

you see, I still have the same ole face  
and the personality that matches  
and I haven't changed from leather to lace  
and quilted my soul with patches  
I'm just different with my love I give

and I can't explain why  
all I can say is "I was born this way"  
and this way I'll be till the day I die  
so if you can understand, fine  
our life together can continue on  
and our life will be like roses and wine  
till the last road is gone  
but if by chance you turn away  
I guess I can understand why  
why should you understand the word gay  
If you haven't experienced it in your life  
so I guess this leaves you with a decision  
one that only you can face  
but whatever happens in the conclusion  
remember I'm still part of your HUMAN RACE!

Stephen A. Felts



# Alpha Kappa Delta

Stephen Pang  
Melba Smothers  
Ted Simmons  
Lee Jan  
Ernst Bierkerot  
Carmen Shuler  
Lenise Mason  
Michael Sherberger  
Mary Alice Smith



Epsilon Chapter of Georgia Sociology Honor Society

# Phi Eta Sigma



Bob Bolding  
Troy Lawler  
David Stewart  
Michael Hickman  
Michael Ashmore  
Jim Dahl, Advisor  
James Stinson  
Tom Sills  
Timoty Walls  
Kenneth Kelly  
George Hale  
James Ashworth  
Roger Queen  
Tony Harris  
David Fowler  
Ronnie Hall  
David Cowan  
Mike Short

Freshman Honor Society



The Honor Society of  
**Phi Kappa Phi**



Vice President and Dean of Faculties John T. Lewis, III, addresses an initiation ceremony as officers of the Chapter listen in the background.

**PHI KAPPA PHI**

The West Georgia College Chapter of Phi Kappa Phi was established in May of 1973. The primary objective of the national Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi is the recognition and encouragement of superior scholarship in all academic disciplines. The Society is convinced that in recognizing and honoring those persons of good character who have excelled in scholarship, in whatever field, will stimulate others to espouse excellence. Moreover, the Society feels that it serves the interest of the student capable of excellence by insisting that in order to acquire a chapter of Phi Kappa Phi, an institution provide the atmosphere conducive to academic excellence.



# Alpha Lamda Delta

Susan Crews  
Phyllis Walker  
Tina Hardegree  
Dale Jones  
Sheila Westmoreland  
Cindy Berrong  
Sharon Chambers  
Linda Schmidt



# Debate

Paul Weathington  
Chester Gibson, Coach  
Randy Evans  
Mike Stribling  
Cary Ichter  
John Fincher  
Not Pictured  
John Wittig, Coach  
Irwin Sperling  
Marjorie Myers  
Kim Kendricks





# Outreach

Rev. Chuck Thomas, President & Pastor  
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 Gwendolyn Hendrix, Secretary  
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 Carolyn Enos



A non-denominational Evangelistic organization that was organized to promote righteous living in his present world for all people, genuine salvation and transformation through Jesus Christ. Open to all people of all races, ages, and denominational backgrounds, united to worship the Living Christ.



## Alpha Kappa Psi








# JAZZ ENSEMBLE

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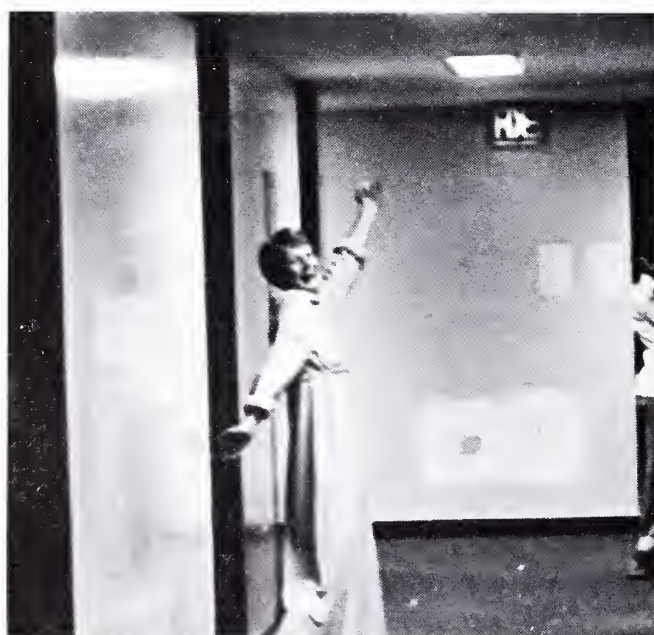
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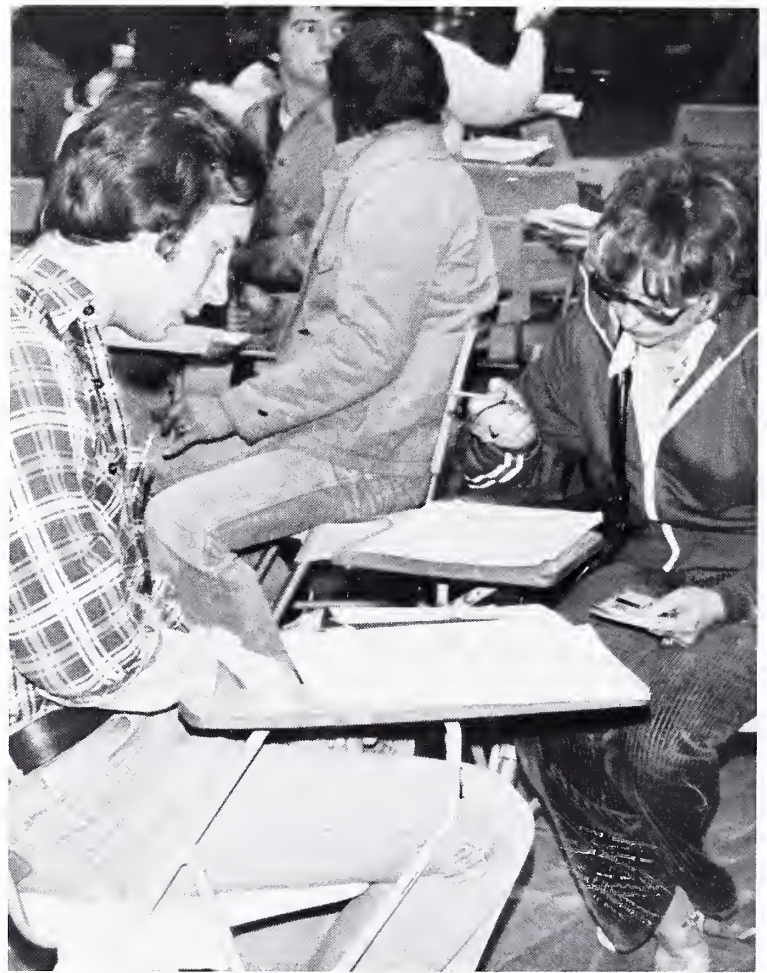


















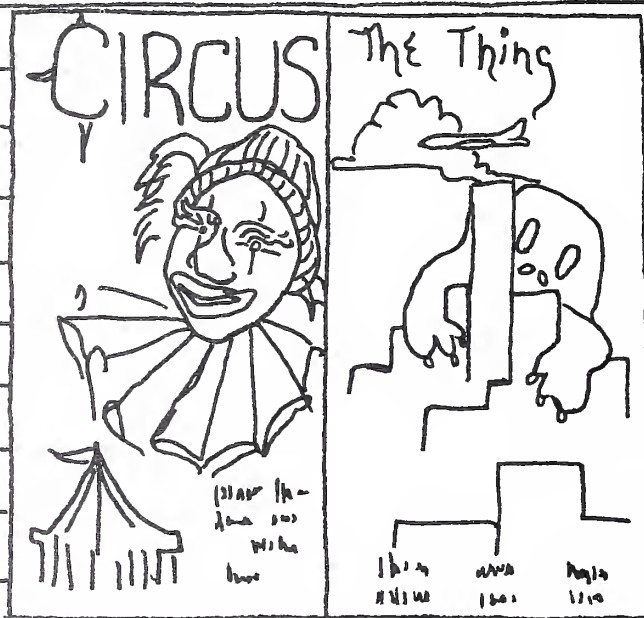




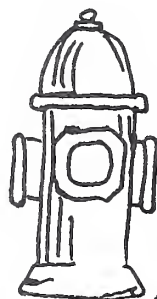
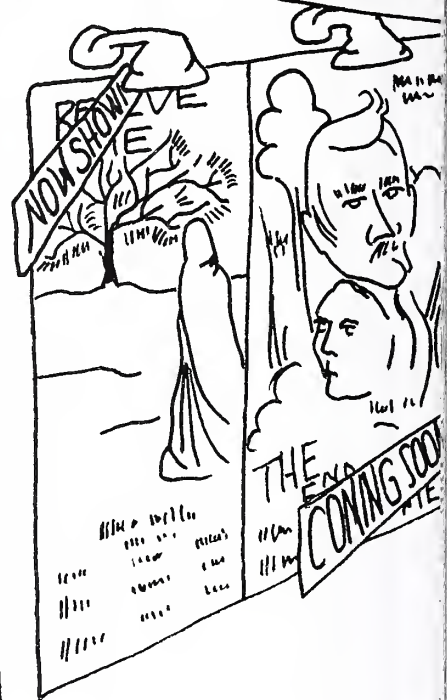
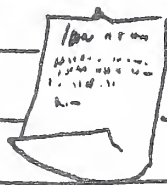




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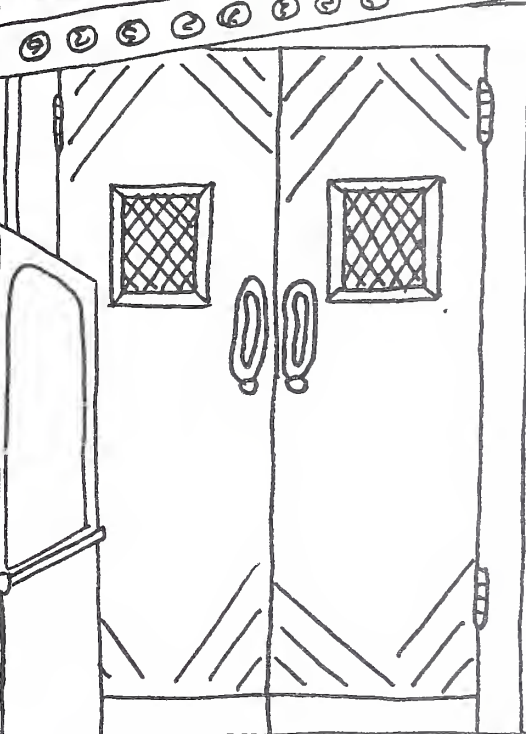
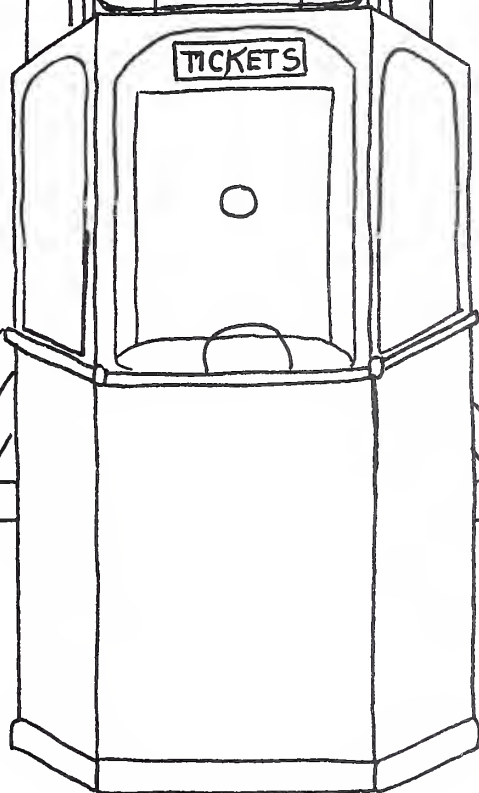
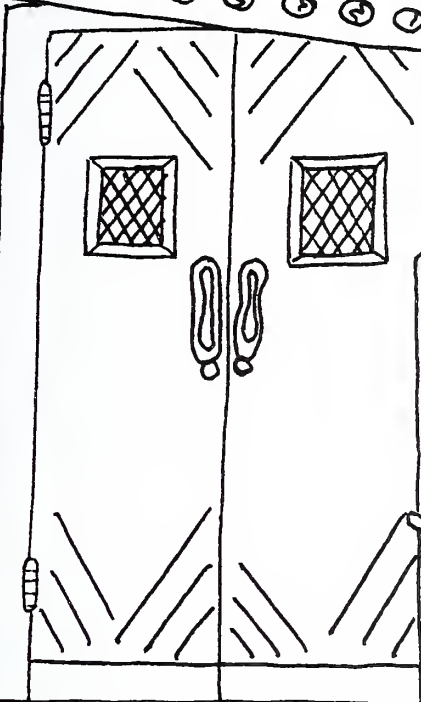
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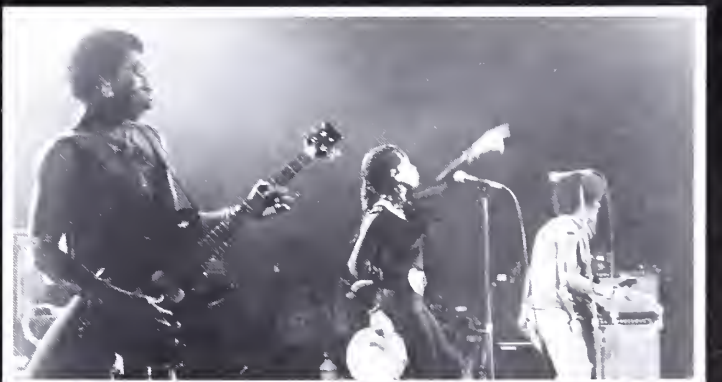
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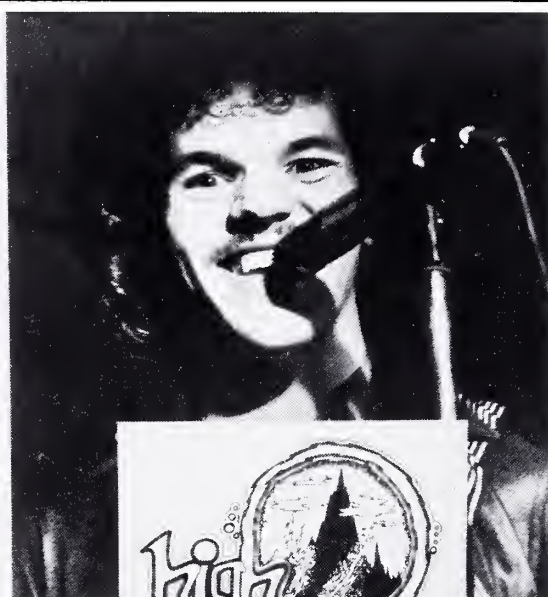
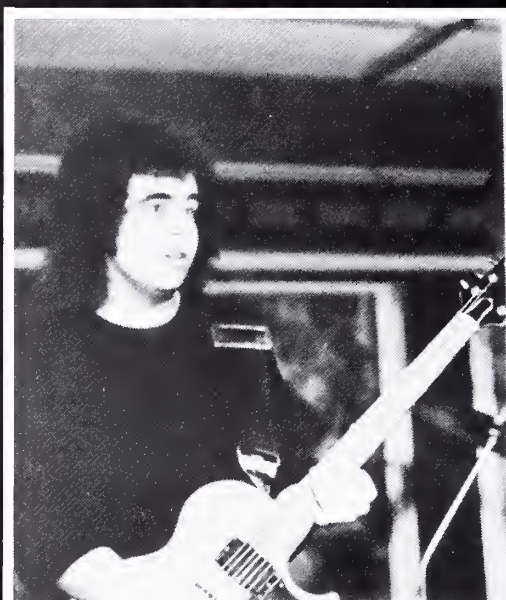








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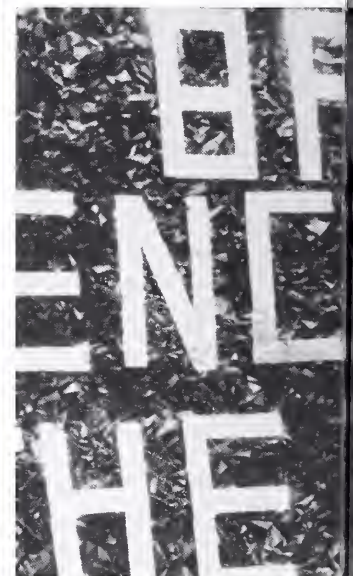
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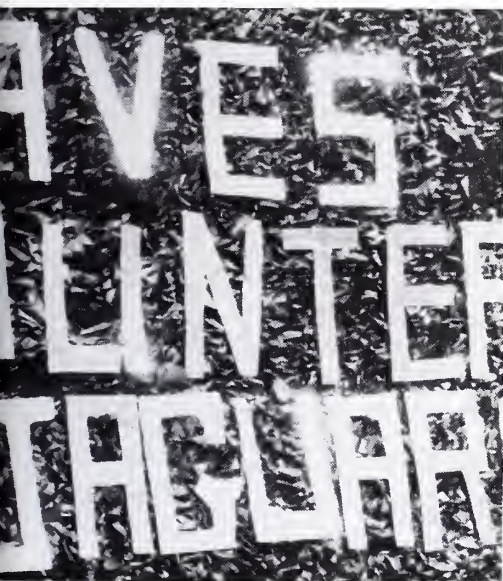


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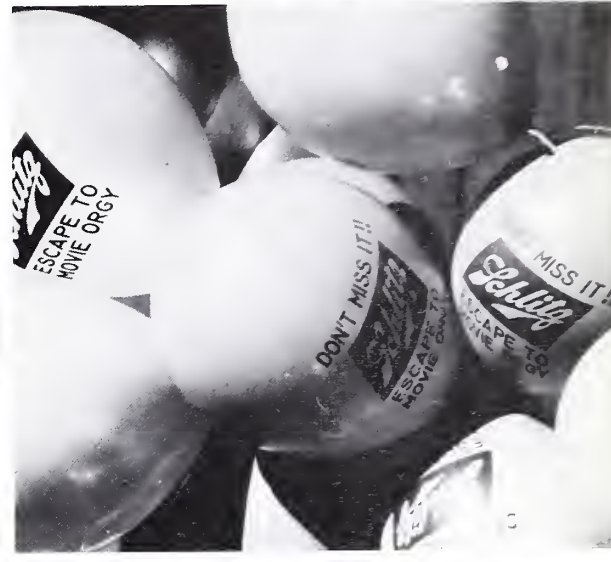


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Michelle Schuder 1978 Homecoming Queen



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**Kim Chastain**

1st Runner Up



**Vera Fuller**

2nd Runner Up



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**Robin Fryer**

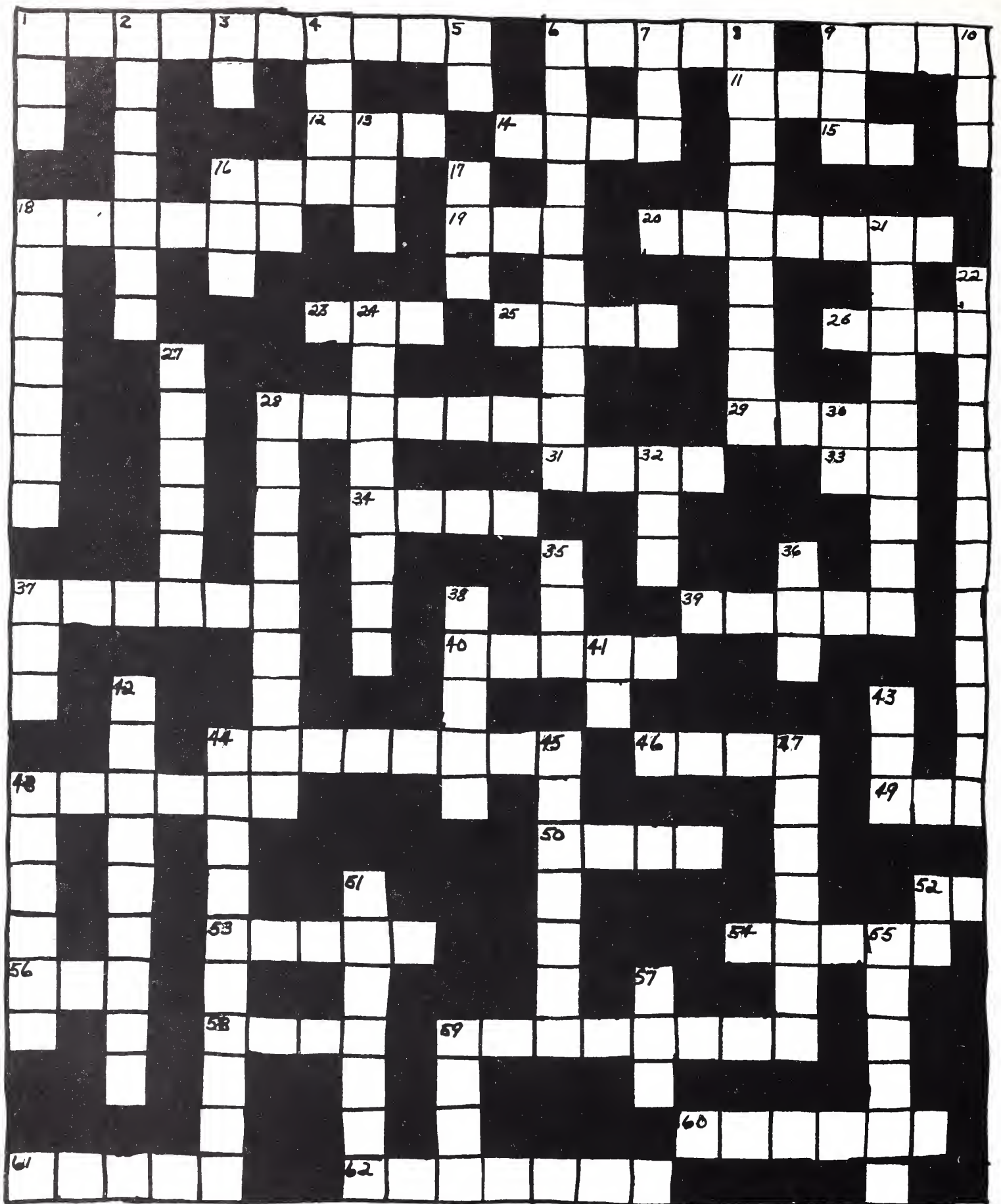
3rd Runner Up



**Diane Culver**

4th Runner Up





## Campus Crossword



## Across

- 1 Where West Ga. College is located
- 6 Where some students live
- 9 Where other students live
- 11 A magazine often found in men's dorms
- 12 Equipment used on a ball diamond
- 14 Subject matter in chemistry class
- 15 Title belonging to many professors
- 16 Some students study for these
- 18 A foreign language
- 19 Question often asked by students
- 20 Study of life systems
- 23 Often present at fraternity parties, holds beer
- 25 Where meals are served
- 26 Valley in the middle of campus
- 28 Frequent party site on Maple St.
- 29 Classes at WGC are held all \_\_\_\_\_
- 31 Head of each school
- 33 Degree offered by WGC
- 34 \_\_\_\_\_-Physics Building
- 37 Freshmen girl's dorm
- 39 What all students SHOULD do
- 40 Occurs at the end of the quarter—final \_\_\_\_\_
- 44 Building where education classes are held
- 46 What 52 Down watches over
- 48 Group of black female students, comes from the sea
- 49 What students who spend Spring Break in Florida get \_\_\_\_\_
- 50 The only coed dorm on campus
- 52 Guardian of every hall in every dorm
- 53 \_\_\_\_\_ Players
- 54 Alpha \_\_\_\_\_ Delta
- 56 What you have to be to go to the Health Center
- 58 Basketball players should be
- 59 Dept. full of conflict
- 60 Often held in 25 Across
- 61 Students ALWAYS write home for more
- 62 Study of past

## Down

- 1 Planner of many campus events
- 2 Freshmen men's dorm
- 3 Either, \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Mr. Snow's favorite pastime
- 5 Sigma \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 Our Leader:
- 7 Favorite drink of college students
- 8 Study of society
- 9 What many students get, financial \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 Led by J. Powell
- 13 Fraternity whose house is on Maple St.
- 16 Delta \_\_\_\_\_ Delta
- 17 \_\_\_\_\_ Omega
- 18 Study of rock formations
- 21 Study of land formations
- 22 Weekly newspaper
- 24 Class taken by all business majors
- 27 Bookstore frequented by students
- 28 A spot for a quick snack
- 30 Degree offered by WGC
- 32 Many professors say, "\_\_\_\_\_ any question, no matter how dumb."
- 35 Campus group for black students
- 36 Handy blue vehicle for touring campus
- 37 Initials of West Georgia College
- 38 Tri \_\_\_\_\_
- 41 Phi \_\_\_\_\_
- 42 The only place in town that delivers
- 43 What you can do at Z-6
- 44 Type of education courses taught at 44 Across
- 45 Exam all students must pass to prove that they can read and write
- 47 Place where books are kept
- 48 The "Blue Menace", the Dept. of Public \_\_\_\_\_
- 51 Our spoken language
- 52 Same as 52 Across
- 55 Shown every Wednesday at Z-6
- 57 \_\_\_\_\_ Mu
- 59 What all students want to do



# Spotlight - Spotlight - Spotlight



DR. W. GLENN MOORE  
(1925 - 1977)

DR. WARNER BLUMENTHAL  
(1922 - 1978)

JOSEPH E. SCASSO  
(1958 - 1977)





The following organizations have supported us in our effort to make the 1978 Chieftain one of the best. Without their cooperation and financial support there could have been no yearbook.

We spotlight these organizations because many of them have provided employment opportunities for those who came before us . . . .

# Spotlight - Spotlight - Spotlight



# Rewarding Excellence



DR. EDITH HAND MAXWELL  
AB - Mathematics (Class of 1962)

Organized in 1961, the West Georgia Chapter of the American Association of University Professors is dedicated to support and promote the best interests and objectives of higher education, maintain high professional standards, and advance the goals and welfare of the profession.

In attempting to further the objectives of the local chapter, an award for academic excellence was established, honoring the graduate with the highest average. The recipient in 1962 was Edith Hand Maxwell, who is presently on the West Georgia faculty. The latest award was presented by Jacquelyn Davis, Secretary of the local Chapter (below right), and went to two with perfect records: Janice Lee Perkins (left) and Sandra Lukens (center).

American  
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Of  
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Professors







In recent years, West Georgia College turned the operation of the food services over to ARA. The Company presently operates food services at hospitals, colleges, and businesses in many locations throughout the South.

In addition to regular meals served to students and faculty, ARA has been host to banquets held by organizations both on campus and in the college community.

## ARA Food Services Company





# SUPPORTING THE FUTURE , . . . TODAY !

During the past 28 years, Southwire Company has hired hundreds of young men and women from colleges and universities spanning the nation. Among these are a considerable number of graduates of West Georgia College, a veritable wealth of creative talent.

These WGC graduates now work in almost every phase of Southwire's operations—from management to metallurgy, finance to foreign languages, employment to economic. At Southwire, West Georgia grads serve in communications, purchasing, sales, and research and development. Many have bachelor's degrees, and an equal number have obtained master's degrees.

It is through the constant supply of fresh ideas furnished by the graduates of our colleges that Southwire Company has continued its remarkable growth in the past two decades. Because of this, we strongly support our educational system as the basis of successful private enterprise and constantly search for keen professionals to fill available jobs.

Pictured here are a sampling of West Georgia College graduates now working in various capacities throughout the company.



HONEY HUBBELL  
AB - Spanish (Class of 1976)  
Administrative and Technical Assistant



KEN MARLOW  
BBA - Business Administration (Class of 1970) / MBA (1976)  
Account Manager—Utility Sales



BILL CHEEK  
BBA - Marketing (Class of 1976)  
Sales Manager—Aluminum Foundry Products



STEVE SAMPLER  
BBA - Marketing & Management (Class of 1975)  
Market Research Analyst





LYNN GABLE  
BBA - Accounting (Class of 1975)  
Financial Assistant



DOUG McKELVEY  
BBA - Business Administration (Class of 1972)  
Professional Employment Representative



JIM COLLINS  
BS - Marketing/Management (Class of 1970)  
Manager—Corporate Marketing



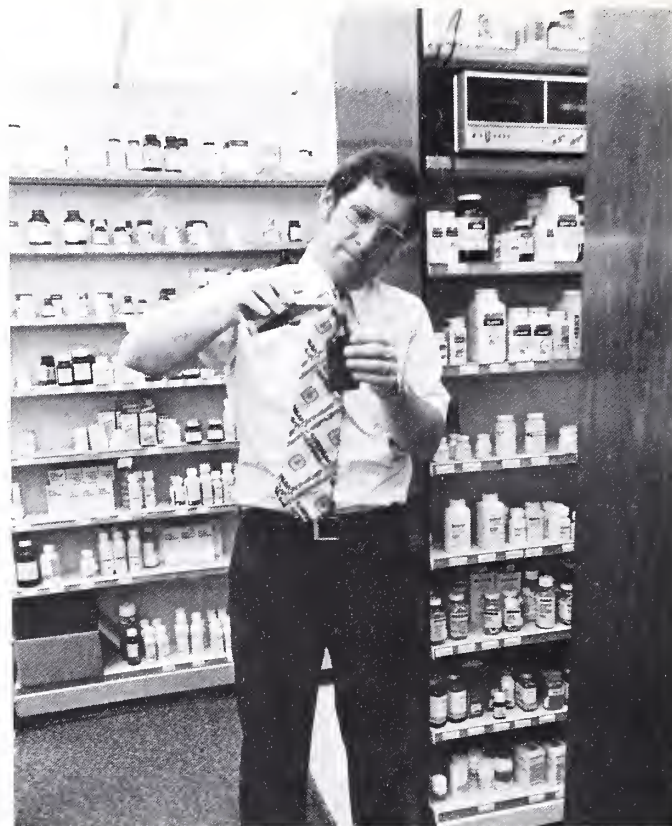
BILL FORDHAM  
A3 - English (Class of 1970)  
Public Communications Manager

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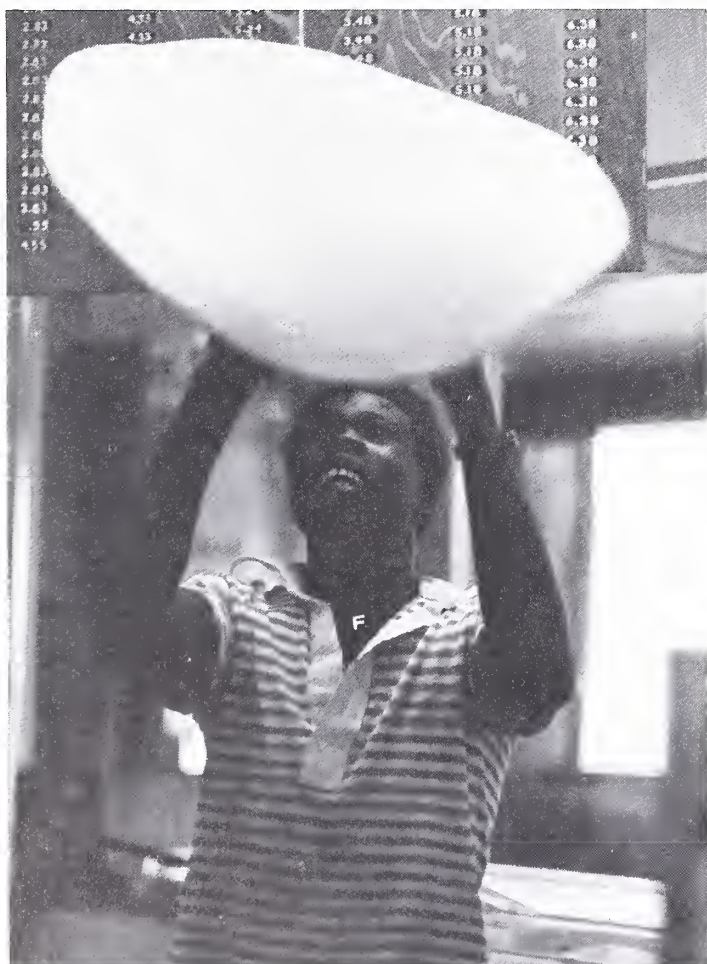




Perry's Westside Pharmacy has served the West Georgia area for almost a decade. Dr. David Perry (1 year Pre-Pharmacy, 1959) is available to fill prescriptions and his efficient



employees are there to assist in selecting gifts, cards, cosmetics and numerous other items to fill your needs.



Chanelos, just off campus, has been open for four years. A large selection of pizzas is their specialty. In addition, Chanelos has a selection of submarine-type sandwiches, lasagna, your favorite beverage, and a wonderful salad bar.

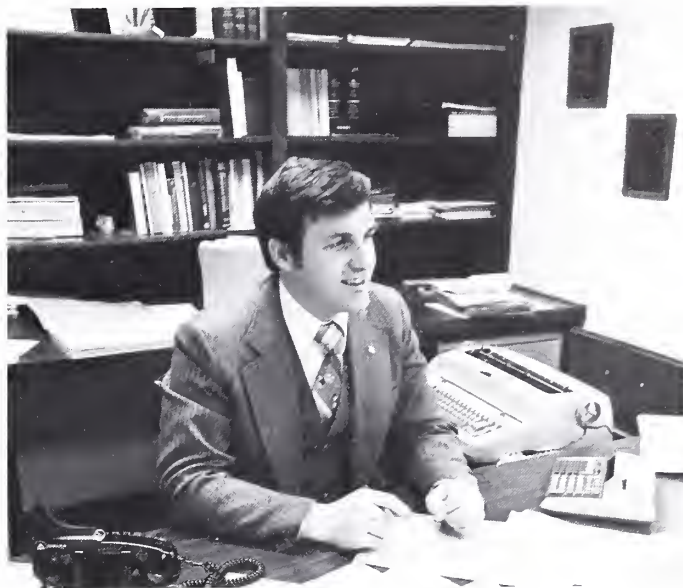




# We Believe In You



JULIE CURL - Lake Carroll Mall Branch  
AB - Sociology (Class of 1974)  
Accounts Representative



W. DAN CHANCE - Maple Street Branch  
AB - Political Science (Class of 1965)  
Assistant Vice Pres. & Trust Officer



H. BOYD STEPHENS - Maple Street Branch  
AB - Business & Economics (Class of 1966)  
Vice President & Branch Manager

The Peoples Bank is the second oldest in Carroll County. It was organized in 1909 and has served the West Georgia area since the days when the West Georgia College campus was occupied by the Fourth District A & M School.

Along with the Main Bank on the square and the Maple Street Branch, the Lake Carroll Mall Branch is open for business in temporary quarters. It will move to a permanent building at the Mall in late 1978.

Many West Georgia College graduates are associated with the bank in various capacities. They help to make it a full service bank.







EMMETT GARMANY  
BBA - Marketing/Management (Class of 1971)  
General Sales Manager

Formed a little over a year ago, the Carrollton Ford is the local Ford-Mercury dealer. Carrollton Ford is associated with West Georgia in a unique way.

Richard Haney, a former assistant professor of management at West Georgia College, is the General Manager.







RODNEY VOLLENWEIDER  
BBA - Marketing/Management (Class of 1972)

A part of our past is directly related to the Tri-County Insurance Company. It was organized more than a decade ago by an alumnus, Bobby Harwell. Among the employees is another West Georgia College graduate.

Tri-County represents many of the major insurance companies in the United States. Insurance is available for your luggage — if you travel — for your automobile, your home, your health, your life, your buildings and their contents, against hazards too numerous to mention.





# THE LONG BRANCH SALOON



For refreshments and relaxation, the students go to The Long Branch Saloon. There is live entertainment and a selection of good food. After hours of study or work it is nice to listen to music, chat with friends, sip a long drink, eat a bite, or just unwind.

The Long Branch should be your favorite club!







CHARLES NEWMAN - Sales Manager  
BS - History (Class of 1972)

The Coca-Cola Company has been associated with the West Georgia area since its beginning. Over the years the local bottling company has worked with the College and its many student groups, not only in furnishing its products for their numerous functions, but also in furnishing advice and financial assistance for projects considered worthy by the company that produces the "Real Thing" . . . .



MICHAEL GREGORY - Part-time  
BBA - Accounting (Class of 1981)



**It's the real thing  
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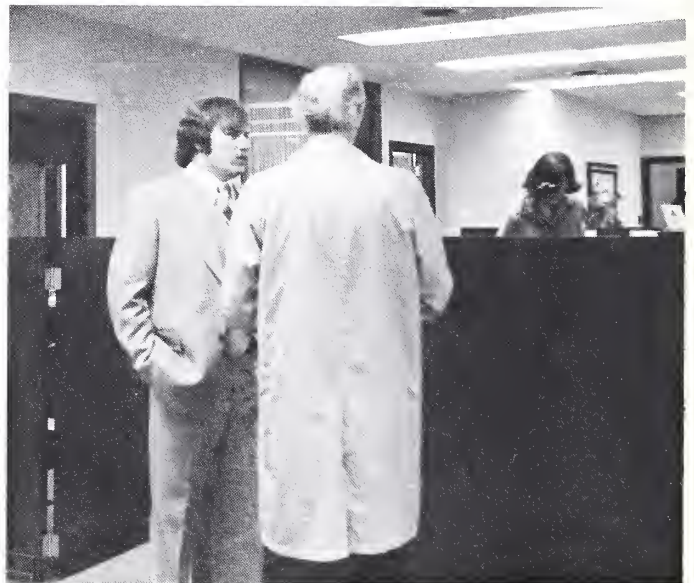
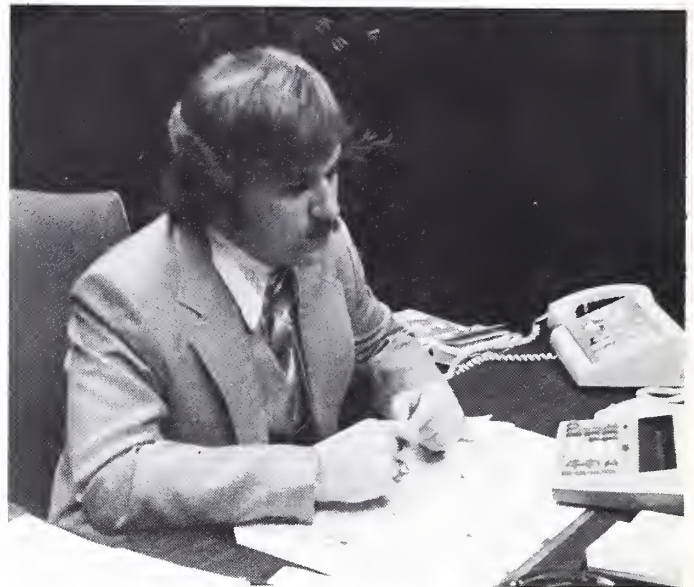


# The Commercial Bank

In its fifty-second year in the West Georgia area, The Commercial Bank of Bowdon is a full service bank. Some of the many services include checking and savings accounts, installment loans, auto loans, commercial loans, personal loans, and school loans. Also available are night depository, safe deposit boxes, and travelers checks.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK - Where Your Business is Appreciated . . .

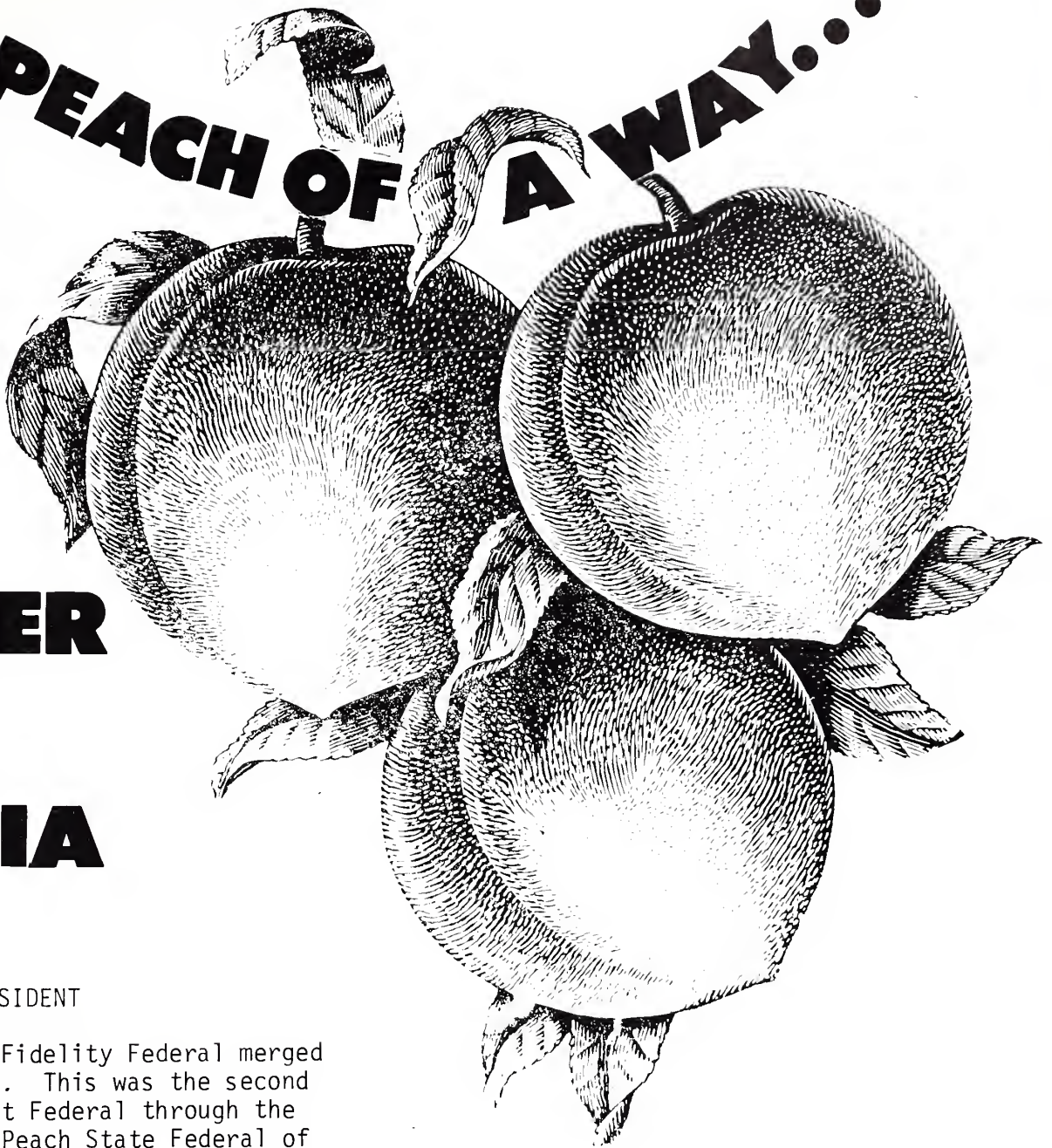
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**TO  
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GREATER  
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GEORGIA**



**A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT**

On September 30, 1977, Fidelity Federal merged into First Federal of Bremen. This was the second association obtained by First Federal through the merger route, having merged Peach State Federal of Douglasville in July, 1976. The merger of Peach State Federal gave us four offices -- making us FIRST and 4-most in West Georgia; and with our new acquisition, we were FIRST with 4-more in the Atlanta Metropolitan area. With a growing family, our FIRST thoughts were to operate all our offices of First Federal, Peach State Federal and Fidelity Federal as divisions of First Family Federal. We were having our problems beginning an advertising campaign with so many names to promote. Therefore, we requested Washington to change our corporate name to Peach State Federal Savings and Loan Association. This request has been granted.

We apologize for the confusion and, regardless of the name change, the directors, management and officers remain the same -- with only one purpose -- to serve you to the best of our ability.

*Frank L. Cunningham*  
FRANK L. CUNNINGHAM

PRESIDENT

8 Savings-Spots to serve you  
YOU CAN VISIT US FROM EVERY WHICH-WAY!

**PEACH STATE  
FEDERAL SAVINGS  
AND LOAN ASSOCIATION**

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|--------------------|----------------|
| 1 DOWNTOWN ATLANTA | 5 BREMEN       |
| 2 LENOX SQUARE     | 6 CARROLLTON   |
| 3 COLLEGE PARK     | 7 TALLAPOOSA   |
| 4 BUFORD-CLAIRMONT | 8 DOUGLASVILLE |





This book is ended. And while I hope you like it for what it is, remember, it is different than any previous Chieftain. Do not simply go through it quickly looking only at the pictures, but take time to read the copy and to appreciate the graphic design of the pages.

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This may be the last Chieftain printed for some time if it is, and especially if it isn't, I hope we have given you a yearbook that will stand out in your memories of West Georgia.

Lori J. LeVar



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